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DETECTIVES MUST ANSWER TO FRAUD

Federal Grand Jury Returned Indictments in Philadelphia Yesterday.

GET EVIDENCE OF BLACKHAND

Letter Sent to C. H. Strong Demanding $50,000—Using Mails to Defraud is Charge—Famous Mausoleum Case.

Erie, Pa., July 18.—When the Federal court resumed its sessions today the grand jury returned indictments against Gilbert B. Perkins, of Pittsburg, and Charles Franklin of Philadelphia, private detectives, charging them with using the mails to defraud. Immediately the indictments were received by the court the case was called for trial. A recess until after noon was granted the attorneys for the defense to look over some letters in connection with the case. United States District Attorney John S. Jordan outlined his case and before adjournment tonight three witnesses had been called by the government.

With the indictment is filed a letter alleged to have been sent to C. H. Strong, and made public for the first time. It reads:

"Ere, Pa., Feb. 15, 1911.

"C. H. Strong:—You leave $50,000 at 11 P. M., February 26, 1911, at 31st street and Pennsylvania avenue or you will have your branes blowed out. Either you or your wife. If you bring any police along, they will be shot and my men will make a strong battle. (Signed) "Blackhand Beth."

The indictment charges that the defendants on February 13, 1911, actually mailed in Erie a blackhand letter addressed to Mr. Strong demanding $50,000 and that on February 15, 1911, they mailed a second letter to Mr. Strong, of which the above is a copy.

Conrad Klein, a hotel keeper, was called to place Perkins and Franklin in Erie at the time the letters were received by Mr. Strong.

Charles H. Strong told of the desecration of the mausoleum of the late Congressman W. L. Scott, his father-in-law and the subsequent employment of Perkins and his men to run down the ghouls. He told of the receipt of the letters and identified them. He said they had been turned over to Perkins by his wife, and C. Walker, his private secretary, and that when Perkins left his employ on February 18th, he gave them to Henry E. Fish, a former attorney for Strong.

Mr. Fish the third and last witness of the day, told of the receiving the letters from Perkins and from Fish the letters passed to Postoffice Inspector Oldfield.

Before adjourning court for the night, Judge Charles P. Orr, who is hearing the case, cautioned the jury to report immediately to the court any attempt to approach them or hold communication with them.

KILLS TWO IN JEALOUS RAGE.

Fearful Deed of South Carolinian—Glad of Crime.

Anderson, S. C., July 18.—In a fit of jealous rage, Samuel N. Hyde early today entered the home of his father-in-law, M. V. Beasley, in the village of Orr, shot and killed him in a struggle and then turned his revolver on his wife, killing her and wounding his sister-in-law, Miss Willie Beasley. He surrendered to the sheriff and while expressing satisfaction that he had murdered his wife declared he regretted the killing of Beasley and the wounding of the girl, whose condition is not considered critical.

"I went to the home to kill my wife and I succeeded," declared Hyde after he had been lodged in jail. "I'm well pleased with my little deed and am ready to die for it at any time. My only regret is that I had to shoot my wife's father and that I accidentally shot her little sister. The old man caught me from the rear and I had to shoot him in the tussle that followed. I didn't know the little girl was in the bed with my wife and didn't know I had shot her until the officers told me this morning that I had done so."

The shooting occurred in the Orr mill village, just outside of this city. Hyde stated today that he went to the house to kill his wife, that he is well satisfied with his deed and is ready to die for it. He says his only regret is that he had to shoot the old man. He says he didn't know the child was in the bed, and was not aware of shooting her until this morning, when told by officers. His reason for the deed was that he loved his wife and child and that they had been taken from him, and that he decided to put an end to the matter by killing her. Mr. Beasley had taken his daugnter back on account of the bad treatment Hyde had given her.

Hyde was employed as an engineer at one of the cotton mills while the Beasleys worked in another cotton mill. Hyde has served one enlistment and part of another in the United States army.

Hyde after the shooting took to a corn field and had a friend to telephone for the sheriff. The officer arrived and Hyde surrendered and was taken to jail.

SENSATIONAL DAY FOR COTTON

Most Exciting Break on New Orleans Market in Many Months—Bull Campaign May be Abandoned—Much Activity.

New Orleans, July 18.—Today's cotton market was the most exciting in many months with heavy sales and sensational declines in all futures. Private reports from Liverpool early this morning to the effect that the bull leading are liquidating, stirred up selling orders in all parts of the cotton world and futures on the New Orleans exchange opened at a wide decline, only to go still lower as trading progressed.

When the trading was over it was the general opinion on the floor that the bull campaign in the Summer months had been abandoned. August, the most active old crop months lost 48 points at its lowest, or nearly half a cent a pound. This represented an enormous loss on the lines of long August cotton the bulls are supposed to own.

The new crop months were not as weak as August, although at their lowest were $1.75 a bale cheaper than on yesterday's close. The general opinion was that leading bull interests materially lightened their load during the day. One brokerage firm that does a large business for certain New York traders was a heavy seller at times. This was supposed to be liquidation.

The business done around the ring was the largest in many weeks, not even excepting bureau days.

Reports of heavy rains in Oklahoma apparenly started the selling. Private messages from Liverpool said that heavy selling orders were coming from America, the continent, the Orient and the cotton world generally on the widely cabled report that the American bulls were selling out. Friends of the leading bull operators denied that there was any truth in this story.

At the lowest in the slump that followed the opening December was two points under yesterday's close. This was a break of a quarter of a cent a pound, or $1.25 a bale. The buying by shorts checked the decline and caused a reaction of about five points. Toward the middle of the morning the market was quiet.

Later in the morning the market weakened again under fresh selling based on the promise of more rain in the cotton country and what were called favorable weekly weather reports. August was put 43 points, or $2.15 a bale under yesterday's close and the new crop months were put 35 to 36 points under.

MRS. McMANIGAL FREED.

Contempt Proceedings at Los Angeles Dismissed Yesterday.

Los Angeles, Cal., July 18.—The contempt proceeding against Mrs. Emma McManigal, wife of Ortie E. McManigal, the alleged confessed dynamiter, were dismissed today by Judge Bordwell. The court held that the affidavit filed by the prosecution was insufficient.

Joseph Ford, deputy district attorney said the prosecution would ask a higher court for review and also that another affidavit tending to prove Mrs. McManigal in contempt of the grand jury would be filed.

The defense, hailing this action as a victory protecting witnesses from being questioned before the grand jury made public a certified transcript of Ortie McManigal's testimony before the grand jury.

This copy was offered as part of the defense's objection to compel Mrs. McManigal as one of its witnesses to talk to the grand jury, but it was not needed because Judge Bordwell acted without waiting for negative argument.

McManigal, according to the transcript of testimony, told the grand jury that James McNamara admitted blowing up the Times building. This admission was made, he said, while he and James McNamara were in the woods at Conover, Wis.

McManigal said he first knew J. B. McNamara under the name, but later as J. B. Brice, and after he came from the coast as Frank Sullivan. He told of discussing the Times explosion with John J. McNamara in the latter's office in Indianapolis.

"What is going on out there?" McManigal said he asked.

"Those fellows killed a lot of people."

"Yes," McNamara replied. "That ought to make them come across."

McManigal declared before the jury that a piece of mechanism shown him was an infernal machine which James B. McNamara had invented.

CAMMORRIST TRIAL.

Informer Receives Presents From Abroad—Resumption of Trial.

Viterbo, Italy, July 18.—Gennaro Abatemaggio, who is hugely enjoying his role of informer against the Cammorrists, charged with the murders of Genarro Cuoccola and his wife, has been further flattered with gifts from abroad. He has received from parties in New York a check of $160 and three shares of a mining stock. The laws of Italy, however, do not permit a man to receive presents while he is a prisoner, and, accordingly, the director of the prison sequestered these intended for the prosecution's witness.

Interrogation of Captain Fabroni, who was detailed by the ministry of justice to run down the murderers of the Cuoccolos after the hostilities had failed, was continued today. The questioning aimed chiefly at establishing the complicity of Giovanni Rapi, the alleged treasurer of the Camorra, in the crimes, with the head of the Cammorra and the other accused men.

SENATE REBUKES SENATOR HEYBURN

His Bitter Attack on Confederacy Won Friends for Monument Bill.

WILLIAMS LEFT THE CHAMBER

Unpopular Idaho Senator Goes on Another Rampage—"Waves the Bloody Shirt" to No Avail. Sharp Criticism.

Washington, July 18.—The bitterness between Senator Heyburn, of Idaho, and Senator John Sharp Williams, of Mississippi, on the subject of the Confederacy, broke out anew in the Senate today. Senator Heyburn objected to the taking up of a bill appropriating $100,000 for a Confederate naval monument in the Vicksburg Military Park, but Senator Williams won its consideration by a vote of 29 to 19.

The Vicksburg Park Commission, and the Senate Committee on Military Affairs, have approved the measure. Mr. Williams said it was desired to have the monument complete for the semi-centennial "Blue and Gray" reunion at Vicksburg in 1913. Senators Cummins, of Iowa, and Works, of California, urged its passage as proper recognition of men who exhibited great bravery in a cause they believed right.

Senator Heyburn again attacked the principle of Federal recognition of Confederate acts.

Senator Williams abruptly left the chamber when Senator Heyburn began to speak.

Mr. Heyburn declared it was "intolerable" that the deeds of Confederate armies should be recited in laws that call upon the public treasury for contributions. He characterized the history of the war between the States as a "history of murder." He attacked the newspapers of the country, declaring many of them disloyal and "delighted to express their disloyalty."

He had been characterized as "waving the bloody flag in the Senate," he said, and had been so misrepresented that he was receiving scores of anonymous letters from "cowards" threatening him with physical violence because of his opposition to use of government funds to recognize Confederate service.

Senator Heyburn displayed a letter he had received from Little Rock, Ark., the envelope of which bore a representation of the Confederate flag. He said the postoffice authorities said there was no law to prevent the use of the flag on mail matter.

"No law ought to be needed," said Senator Heyburn; "there is but one flag in this Nation entitled to such representation."

During the debate Senator Smoot, of Utah, moved to adjourn. The motion was defeated 24 to 27.

Senator Taylor, of Tennessee, took up the Confederate issue. "The war is over," he said, "time has pulled down the forts and healed the wounds. The men who wore the gray delight to honor the men who wore the blue; but they do not delight to honor the men who never smelt powder, and who stand here and unlimber their batteries of bitterness against the simple proposal to erect monuments to Southern heroes."

At this point another motion to adjourn was made by Senator Lodge, of Massachusetts, the Democrats opposing it in order to secure action on the Vicksburg bill. This time the motion carried 26 to 25 and the Senate adjourned with the Confederate question unsettled.

ENGINEER WINN HURT.

Working on His Engine Below Lumberton—Stricken With Paralysis.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Lumberton, N. C., July 18.—While working on his engine a few miles below here this afternoon, Engineer Winn, of the Seaboard, was so painfully hurt that upon reaching here he had to have the attention of a physician. From the best information obtainable it seems that while underneath his engine doing some work which required the use of a heavy hammer, the hammer flew off the andle, striking Mr. Winn on the head. It struck him in the same place he had suffered a former injury. Upon reaching here the train was sidetracked until an engineer could be sent down from Hamlet. Dr. McPhaul gave the necessary surgical attention and accompanied the wounded man to his home at Hamlet on the evening train.

A colored porter who was going to Wilmington last night on Train 44 to come out on an extra, was stricken with paralysis soon after leaving Laurinburg and was put off here for treatment. Dr. McPhaul gave the man attention and he was sent to his home at Marshville on the morning train. He was unable to speak or swallow. His left side seems most affected, his left arm being entirely useless.

Messr. W. W. Whaley, S. F. Caldwell and perhaps others will go to the beach tomorrow morning to remain until about August 1st.

Berkeley, Cal., July 18.—Mrs. Amelia Woodward Truesdell, of San Francisco, is in college at the age of 80. She entered the Summer school of the University of California here yesterday, registering for the course in English poetry. Mrs. Truesdell is an alumnae of Stanford University and has written several books.

"FAKE" INSURANCE MEN HELD

Smooth Graft Scheme Unearthed in Philadelphia—Youthful Official Tells Remarkable Story. Three in Toils.

Philadelphia, July 18.—At a hearing here today of three officials of 15 "mutual fire insurance companies" of this city on the charge of operating fraudulent concerns, a 19-year-old boy testified that he had been picked off the street and made president of two of the concerns and secretary of a third at a total salary of $5 a week. The witness, Herman S. Robinson, said he was homeless when hired to run errands. He was told he must "dress up" and said that one of the defendants had outfitted him at a clothing store. At the end of the hearing the three officials, David Balaity, Jacob Malschick and Charles Weinberg were held under bail for trial.

Robinson testified he knew he had been made president, but thought it was only a matter of form. He said that the janitor of an office building in which the 14 companies were operated from the same room, was also made president of one of the concerns. Robinson further testified that he had presided at directors' meetings of his companies, but had no idea of what was done. "I always read a newspaper or went to sleep. Balaity did all the talking," he said.

Ernest K. Mueller, a solicitor, employed by two of the concerns which the State Insurance Department charges were all controlled by the same principals, testified that while he was connected with the concerns new ones were organized with a total "fake" capitalization of $1,500,000. The names of the alleged subscribers, he said, were taken from the city directory.

Harry S. Thiel, another solicitor, testified that "agents of companies got 50 per cent. on all business they wrote and inspectors 10 per cent., of all business written by those under them.

"The money came in fast," he testified. "Balaity and Malschick both had tin boxes in which they kept the cash and the boxes were often full."

The office of the concerns were recently raided. The concerns, it is charged, wrote fire insurance in all parts of the country and it is claimed their total receipts were $27,000 a month.

TAFT TO VISIT MANASSAS.

Union and Confederate Veterans Celebrate Anniversary.

Manassas, Va., July 18.—The programme for the reception to President Taft Friday when he visits the peace jubilee with which the 50th anniversary of the Battle of Bull Run is being celebrated by Union and Confederate veterans this week, was given out today. As the chief executive enters the court house yard where the exercises are to be held a tableaux of 48 young women representing the States of the Union will sing the Manassas National jubilee and anthem "United" he will be presented to the assemblage by Governor Mann, of Virginia.

The President accompanied by Secretary Hilles, Major Butt and Senator Martin and Representative Carlin, of Virginia, will arrive from Washington by automobile in the afternoon. Two troops of cavalry will escort the President to the speaker's stand through double lines of infantry.

A large assemblage of veterans who fifty years ago faced each other in bitter strife, tonight held a re-union and camp fire at which memories of the first great struggle in the War Between the States, were recounted.

CONDITION OF PRINCIPAL CROPS.

Report of Department of Agriculture Yesterday.

Washington, July 18.—The Department of Agriculture crop report showing the condition of the principal crops on August 1st, will be issued at 2:15 P. M. Wednesday, August 9th. It will announce also the preliminary estimate of yield and quality of Winter wheat, the acreage of buckwheat, hay and rye, and stocks of oats and barley in farmers' hands on August 1st. The report showing the condition of the cotton crop on July 25th will be issued Wednesday, August 2nd, at noon.

OUTLINES.

Senator Heyburn bitterly attacked the Confederacy yesterday when the bill to appropriate $100,000 for the Confederate Naval Monument was taken up and was severely rebuked by the Senate, which voted in favor of consideration of the measure——Visitors at the White House yesterday expressed the belief that Dr. Harvey W. Wiley will be retained as chief of the Bureau of Chemistry, but will be reprimanded by the President——Some inner workings of the American Sugar Refining Company, were revealed under prolonged questioning before the investigating committee yesterday——More contradictions in testimony before the Senate Lorimer Committe yesterday bemuddled the Lorimer investigation far worse than at any time since the new inquiry began —— Three officials of 14 "mutual insurance companies" were arrested in Philadelphia yesterday.

New York markets: Money on call steady 2 to 2 1-2 per cent., ruling rate 2 3-8, closing bid 2, offered at 2 1-4. Spot cotton closed quiet 25 points lower, middling uplands 14.00, middling gulf 14.25. Flour lower to sell. Wheat spot steady, No. 2 new 90 elevator and 91 1-2 f.o.b. afloat. Corn, easy, export No. 2. 68 f.o.b. afloat. Oats spot weak, standard white 48. Rosin steady. Turpentine quiet.

THE SUGAR TRUST AGAIN UNDER FIRE

Inner Workings of American Refining Company, Related in New York.

BEFORE CONGRESS COMMITTEE

Arbuckle Ill At Mohonk Lake and the Sub-Committee Will Take His Deposition—Chairman Thomas Tells of Company.

New York, July 18.—Such inner workings of the American Sugar Refining Company, the so-called sugar trust as Washington B. Thomas, chairman of its board of directors, revealed under prolonged questioning, interested the members of the special Congress Committee which began here today the investigation it had been conducting in Washington. Mr. Thomas could see no present evil in the company or its methods, although he did not agree with the policy in vogue under the late H. O. Havemeyer.

John Arbuckle, whom the committee considered the most important witness, it was to question here, is so ill at Mohonk Lake, N. Y., that a subcommittee, consisting of Representatives Garrett, of Tennessee, and Madison, of Kansas, was appointed by Chairman Hardwick to go there probably Friday, to take his testimony. Mr. Arbuckle is expected to give much information of the big sugar war between his company and the American and more particularly the terms of settlement. It has been said that only two men knew what those terms were, Mr. Arbuckle and H. O. Havemeyer Havemeyer is dead.

What was regarded as perhaps the most important testimony of the day was statement by Mr. Thomas that the American Sugar Refining Company is thoroughly in sympathy with the suit in New Jersey to retire and invalidate the common stock of the National Sugar Refining Company. The American owns most of the preferred stock in that company and Mr. Thomas said that the preferred stock would be greatly enhanced by the retirement of common stock. It would also give the American absolute control of what is said to be its greatest competitor.

Mr. Thomas would not admit that the American instigated the suit to retire the National's common stock but said his company was in sympatny with the suit and might be called on to pay part of the costs.

WOMAN SHOT AND KILLED.

Fearful Crime Enacted in Richmond, Va., Last Night.

Richmond, Va., July 8.—While returning to the city in a motor car from Chesterfield county tonight Mrs. H. C. Beattie, Jr., was shot and killed by an unidentified white man, who escaped. The shooting occurred on the Midlothian turnpike five miles from Richmond and police and county officers with bloodhounds are searching for the slayer, who is described as a tall man with a long beard.

Mr. Beattie was driving the car and slowed down as he saw a man walk into the middle of the road directly in front of him. As Beattie put on the brakes the stranger cried, "You had better run over me."

"You have got all the road," said Beattie, and then he put on power and started to pass. The man raised a shotgun he was carrying and fired at close range at the couple in the car. The entire load entered Mrs. Beattie's face, blowing off the top of her head.

Mr. Beattie jumped from the car and grappled with the slayer, who gave him a smashing blow across the face with the butt of his gun, leaving an ugly scar. They fought for a moment, and as Beattie got possession of the weapon the stranger disappeared.

Springing back into his car Mr. Beattie was horrified to find the bleeding body of his wife lying across the seat. He tossed the shotgun into the tonneau and started the car for Richmond, steering with one hand while he held the body with the other. He drove five miles to the home of a friend and gave the alarm. Mrs. Beattie was only 23 years old. She was married a year ago.

Mrs. Beattie is the wife of a department store owner and banker in South Richmond. Every night for the last two weeks the Beatties had been motoring with their baby, but tonight was left at home.

GOVERNOR SMITH'S POSITION.

Stern and Unswerving Attitude as to Prohibition Law.

Atlanta, July 18.—Governor Hoke Smith has taken a stern and unswerving attitude toward the enforcement of the State prohibition law. In refusing to grant the commutation of the sentence of W. L. Chapman, sentenced for running a blind tiger in Bibb, Governor Smith announces that he intended to withhold executive clemency for all prohibition cases, no matter what the recommendation of the prison commission. The prison commission had recommended mercy toward Chapman.

TANGLE AT LORIMER INQUIRY

Four Witnesses Yesterday Flatly Contradicted Important Testimony Previously Given Committee —Feature Day.

Washington, July 18.—More contradictions in testimony before the Senate Lorimer Committe today bemuddled the Lorimer investigation far worse than at any time since the new inquiry began. All four of today's witnesses flatly contradicted important testimony previously given to the committee.

Charles McGowan, a young Canadian contractor, declared that C. F. Wiehe, secretary of the Edward Hines Lumber Company, did not remark on the "Winnipeg Flyer," on the way from Duluth to Virginia, Minn., March 1911, that there was a jack-pot raised to elect Lorimer and that he subscribed $10,000 to it. William H. Burgess testified yesterday that Wiehe did make this remark in the presence of himself and a 'young Canadian' to which description McGowan responded.

B. A. Johnson, of Chicago, until July 1, 1911 general staff representative of the American Lumberman testified positively that Wiehe made no such statement.

Isaac Baker, a buyer for Edward Hines Lumber Company, unqualifiedly denied that Edward Hines, president of this company, said over a long distance telephone to Sprinfield from W. H. Cooke's room in a Chicago hotel on May 26, 1909, that he would come to Springfield with all the money necessary for Lorimer's election. Cook testified that Hines did so state. Baker's testimony regarding the conversation agreed almost vermatim with that given by Hines.

Baker also agreed with Hines' account of Hines meeting Clarence S. Funk, general manager of the International Harvester Company, who claims Hines asked him for a $10,000 Lorimer election contribution. Hines says Funk asked to be introduced to Lorimer and for the privilege of contributing to his campaign expenses. Baker told about the introduction request just as Hines had testified.

Donald M. F. Rame, cigar employe in the Union League Club, testified that Hines once remarked to H. H. Hettler, that he (Hines) had elected Lorimer, thus corroborating Hettler's testimony, and contradicting Hines.

McGowan was subjected to a rigid cross-examination. The witness declared stoutly that he heard everything that was said during the trip and he was sure nothing was said about Lorimer. The tariff and reciprocity were discussed, but he was unable to tell what anyone said about either.

MAY SETTLE OUT OF COURT.

Electrical Trust Attorneys Talk With Government Officials.

Washington, July 18.—Conferences now being held between officials of the Department of Justice and attorneys for the so-called electrical trust, may result in a complete anti-trust victory for the government without resort to court.

Government officials have been told that eleven of the electrical pools, which were said to restrict territory and fix prices ofelectrical equipment have discontinued and that all trade restrictions have been removed.

A question of patents is involved however, and the conferences probably will determine if the electrical men shall submit to the permanent injunction the government asks for it whether an agreed case shall be submitted to the courts for decision.

The government's case now awaiting trial is against the National Electric Lamp Company. The general Electric Company and the Westinghouse Company are mentioned in the suit as owners of the stock of several of the subsidiary corporations. The method of dissolution and division of their stocks is also one of the points at issue.

AGAINST COMMISSION FORM.

Jersey City, N. J., Voted Proposition Down Yesterday.

Jersey City, N. J., July 18.—This city voted today by a majority of 1,483 against the adoption of the commission form of government. The vote for the proposition was 11,585, while 13,068 votes were cast against it. The recent Legislature provided that cities might decide by vote whether they wished to adopt the commission government plan. Governor Woodrow Wilson, who strongly favored the passage of the law by the Legislature, personally advocated in this city the adoption of the plan here, and the Commission Government League conducted an active campaign in its favor. Only three of the 12 wards in the city gave majorities in its favor.

NARROW ESCAPE FROM LAUNCH.

Woman Almost Lost Life in Fire Trying to Save Canaries.

Chicago, July 18.—Mr. and Mrs. C. Loverset, of Jacksonville, Fla., who cruised up the Mississippi river and through the drainage canal to Chicago in a finely fitted steel launch, narrowly escaped death when the superstructure of the launch was destroyed by fire at midnight in the Lincoln Park lagoon. Mrs. Loverset stumbled in the dense smoke and sprained her ankle while groping for five canary birds in the cabin.

The couple were aroused from sleep by an odor of smoke but before they could get out the fumes were so dense that they were unable to find their way to the fire extinguishers and were compelled to flee for their lives.

DR. WILEY LIKELY WILL BE RETAINED

White House Callers Say Taft Will Not Discharge Chemistry Chief.

MATTER TALKED BY CABINET

Intimations That Wickersham Exceeded His Authority Set at Rest by President—Records Now Before Taft.

Washington, July 18.—Dr. Harvey W. Wiley, chief of the Bureau of Chemistry, probably will not be requested by President Taft to resign, but will be reprimanded, according to the concensus of opinion of visitors who talked with Mr. Taft today. The recommendation of Attorney General Wickersham that Dr. Wiley be permitted to resign was barely touched upon at the cabinet meeting, but the above impression was strengthened in the minds of callers at the White House during the day.

The President thus far has not read the record in the case nor has he before him the recommendation of Secretary of Agriculture Wilson in whose department the trouble arose and who has been directed to pass upon it.

Intimations that Attorney General Wickersham, in his recommendation, exceeded his authority, were set at rest by the President today. In conversation with callers the President explained that he had requested the attorney general to pass upon the legal question involved in the Wiley case and that the attorney general proceeding on this theory, answered him in strictly legal fashion.

Mr. Wickersham, the President told some of his visitors, did not expect his opinion to be given to the parties concerned, and wrote it largely for the President's guidance alone. At a recent cabinet meeting, at which Mr. Wickersham was not present, it was agreed that the papers in the case should be sent to all parties interested and this was done by the President, who did not expect them to be made public.

The President's explanation of how Mr. Wickersham became involved in the case, led some of his hearers to the conclusion that the attorney general will have no reason to feel injured if his recommendation is not followed by Mr. Taft when he reviews the case.

It became apparent after the cabinet meeting today that the President will be unable to reach a decision for several days and probably not before next week. There was opportunity to refer to Dr. Wiley only for an instant at the session today and Mr. Wilson immediately thereafter took Dr. Wiley's answer back to his department with him, promising to look it over and make a recommendation as soon as possible. Before he reaches a decision the President expects to read the evidence in the affair; Dr. Wiley's answer and all the other papers that have been written bearing upon it.

NEGRO STOREBREAKERS.

Wanted at Rocky Mount, Held at Selma—See Ty Cobb.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Rocky Mount, N. C., July 18.—The three negroes recently arrested at Selma and wanted here for storebreaking, believed to be members of a band of thieves who have been working up and down the Coast Line from Richmond to Fayetteville, will first have to answer a charge of robbery in Selma before being brought here, the trio having been arrested at Selma for robbing a negro restaurant. The negroes were engaged in tearing the price tags and firm's name from the clothing stolen here when they were arrested for the robbery of the restaurant at Selma. After the Selma authorities are through with them, the negroes will be brought here to answer the charge of storebreaking.

Many Eastern Carolina fans will take advantage of the low rates over the Coast Line for three days next week to witness the series of games in Washington, D. C., between the Nationals, of the American League, and the Detroit team. Of course, Ty Cobb will be all the attraction and many fans will embrace the opportunity of seeing him in action for these three games. The fare for the round trip from Rocky Mount is only $5. The date is July 25th.

ECLIPSED FORMER RECORD.

135th Company C. A. C. Made 16 Hits in 18 Shots Yesterday.

Sandy Hook, N. J., July 18.—The 135th company, Coast Artilley Corps, eclipsed its former record with three inch guns today when it made 16 hits in 18 shots at a range of 2,100 yards, in a total time of 64 seconds. The firing was conducted at Battery Urmston, Fort Hancock, with two three-inch guns, the battery being actually in action 42 seconds.

The company was commanded for practice by Lieut. Loren H. Call, coast artillery corps.

Last Summer, under command of Capt. Carroll Power, the same company made 11 hits out of 16 shots in a time of 42 seconds.

$1.00 today will buy ladies' $1.50 and $1.75 gowns at Polvogt's. **

SPORTING NEWS

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Results Yesterday.

At New York, 2; Cincinnati, 8.
At Brooklyn, 3; St. Louis, 8.
At Boston, 6; Chicago, 14.
At Philadelphia, 4; Pittsburg, 2.
Second: Pittsburg, 1; Philadelphia, 2.

Standing of the Clubs.

Club:	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Philadelphia	51	31	.622
Chicago	48	31	.608
New York	48	32	.600
St. Louis	45	34	.570
Pittsburg	43	36	.544
Cincinnati	33	45	.423
Brooklyn	30	48	.385
Boston	20	61	.247

Philadelphia, July 18.—The largest crowd that has been inside the National League grounds here in the last fifteen years saw the home team win two games from Pittsburg this afternoon by scores of 4 to 2 and 2 to 1. Philadelphia took the first game by pounding Camnitz off the rubber in the first inning, four runs being scored on five hits, including a home run by Paskert and a triple by Beck. The second game was a pitching duel between Alexander and Leifield, the winning run being scored in the tenth on Paskert's triple and Lobart's single.

Pittsburg .... ..000 200 000—2 5 1
Philadelphia ....400 000 00x—4 7 1

Camnitz, Steel and Gibson; Moore and Dooin. Time 2:07. Umpires Klem and Brennan.

Second game:

Pittsburg ...100 000 000 0—1 6 1
Philadelphia ..001 000 000 1—2 8 0

Leifield and Simon; Alexander and Dooin. Time 1:55. Klem and Brennan.

New York, July 18.—Keefe won his third game of the year from New York today and held McGraw's men safe at all stages The Giants played poor ball and Cincinnati hit Marquard hard in spots. Donlin, hitting for Marquard in the eighth, hit a home run into right field grandstand.

Cincinnati .... ..00 402 020—8 11 1
New York .. ..001 000 010—2 5 4

Keefe and McLean; Marquard, Crandall and Myers. Time 2:02. Umpires Johnstone and Eason.

Boston, July 18.—Chicago received many bases on balls, hit safely when it was necessary and Boston made some costly errors, the result being a score of 14 to 6 in favor of the visitors Schulte made a home run in the sixth inning with the bases full.

Chicago .... ..015 104 030—14 11 1
Boston ....111 002 100— 6 9 4

Tyler, Pfeffer and Kling; Richie and Archer and Graham. Time 2:08. Umpires O'Day and Emslie .

Brooklyn, July 18.—St. Louis got away to a flying start today and won 8 to 3. There will be a double header here tomorrow.

St. Louis .... ..400 010 012—8 10 0
Brooklyn .. ....001 000 002—3 5 2

Harmon and Bliss; Knetzer and Erwin. Time 2:00. Umpires Rigler and Finneran.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Results Yesterday.

At Chicago, 1; Washington, 7.
At St. Louis, 3; Philadelphia, 12.
At Detroit, 16; Boston, 7.
At Cleveland, 9; New York, 6.

Standing of the Clubs:

Club:	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Detroit	59	24	.711
Philadelphia	53	29	.646
Chicago	42	39	.519
Cleveland	44	42	.512
New York	41	41	.500
Boston	42	49	.462
Washington	29	55	.345
St. Louis	22	60	.269

Chicago, July 18.—Washington batted all three of Chicago's pitchers hard today and won easily 7 to 1 A force out, single and an error saved the locals from a shut out

Chicago .. ..000 000 010—1 8 1
Washington ..040 0001 002—7 18 3

White, Olmstead, Baker and Sullivan and Payne; E Walker and Ainsmith Time 1:45 Umpires Dineen and O' Loughlin

Cleveland, July 18—Cleveland made it four straight from New York today 9 to 6 It was Cleveland's ninth straight victory Cleveland did not get a man to second base until the seventh when 13 men went to bat, scoring nine runs Lajoie went to bat for Krapp with the bases full and the score 3 to 2 in New York's favor and singled, driving in two runs. Krapp pitched good ball, New York's runs off of him being the result of Fisher's poor throwing to bases

Cleveland .... ..000 000 90x—9 9 2
New York .. ..200 000 102—6 10 3

Krapp, Blanding and Fisher; Quinn, Brockett, Caldwell and Sweeney. Time 2:18. Umpires Perrine and Mullin

Detroit, July 18.—Karger was easy, Killilay was wild, Hall was wild and the result was Boston 7, Detroit 16. Fifteen runs were over when Cicotte started pitching and Detroit took things easy.

Detroit .... ..055 050 01x—16 16 6
Boston .. .. ..002 003 200— 7 10 1

Karger, Killilay, Hall, Cicotte and Carrigan; Donovan and Stanage. Time 2:00. Egan and Connolly.

St. Louis, July 18—Philadelphia pounded St Louis pitchers hard, driving two of them from the mound today winning, the final game 12 to 3 and making a clean sweep of the series.

St. Louis .. ..000 200 001— 2 10 1
Philadelphia ...060 150 000—12 16 3

Criss, George, Nelson and Stephens; Leonard and Thomas. Time 2:05. Umpires Evans and Parker.

NEW RALEIGH BUILDING.

Contract to J. B. Carr & Co., for Large $80,000 Structure.

Raleigh, N. C., July 18—The contract has just been awarded to J. B. Carr & Co., for the erection of the fine new $80,000 bank building by The Raleigh Banking & Trust Co., Chas. F. Johnson, president. The building will be in two sections, one section to be completed for the bank to occupy before the main part of the present old historic round-step bank building is torn down, the bank to occupy the new section while the corner section of the new building on Fayetteville and Hargett streets is being built. The building will be three stories and will have a series of massive marble pillars, each three stories high at intervals along both the Fayetteville and the Hargett street fronts.

Southern League.

At Memphis 0; Montgomery 6.
At Atlanta 0; Mobile 5.
At Chattanooga 4; Birmingham 3.
At Nashville 6; New Orleans 5.

American Association.

At Indianapolis 7; Toledo 8. (Ten innings.)
At Columbus 6; Louisville 5.
At Milwaukee 2; Minneapons 6.

South Atlantic League.

At Charleston-Alabany, rain.
At Augusta-Jacksonville, rain. (2 games tomorrow.)
At Savannah 1; Columbus 7.
At Columbia 3; Macon 6.

Eastern League.

At Toronto 4; Rochester 3.
At Montreal 3; Buffalo 0.
At Jersey City 0; Newark 1.
Second:
At New Jersey 9; Newark 4.

Carolina League.

At Winston-Salem 8; Greenville 0.
At Anderson 2; Spartanburg 7.
At Charlotte 10; Greensboro 9.

Virginia League.

At Danville 8; Richmond 5.
At Petersburg 2; Roanoke 1.
At Norfolk 0; Lynchburg 1.

Appalachian League.

At Knoxville 6; Bristol 2.
At Morristown 2; Johnson City 1.
At Cleveland 4; Asheville 0.

SHAH OF PERSIA.

Has Returned to His Own Land to Bid for Throne.

Teheran, Persia, July 18.—Mohammed Ali Mirza, the exiled Shah of Persia, has returned to his own land to make another bid for the throne. The ex-Shah is now at Gumesh Tepe, a small port in the Caspien Sea, near the Russian border, and it is stated that a Russian vessel conveyed him there.

Soon after Mohammed Ali Mirza was dethroned in July, 1909, he proceeded to Russia. The Russian government undertook to protocol to keep him under strict surveillance and prevent all intrigue with respect to his return to Persia and possibly to the throne.

Notwithstanding this, the deposed Shah has traveled without molestation from Odessa to Gumesh Tepe, a distance of abtu 1,500 miles.

London, July 18.—The sudden and unexpected appearance of the ex-Shah Mohammed Ali Mireza, in Persia territory is a great surprise. He left Odessa some weeks ago for Baden, near Vienna, where he had been with his family until July 6th. It is understood that he left Baden for Marienbad to take the waters.

By this attempt to recapture the throne Mohammed Ali forfeited a pension of $82,500 yearly.

FUND FOR MINISTERS.

Fifty Thousand Dollars by Atlanta Lady for Young Men.

Sewanee, Tenn., July 18. — Announcement was made here today that Mrs. Richard Peters, of Atlanta, who died six weeks ago, had provided in her will that $50,000 of her estate be given to the University of the South as a fund for the benefit of poor young men who desired to study for the Episcopal ministry. The extract of her will containing the provision was read to a gathering of Sewanee people by the Rev. W. W. Memminger, rector of All Saints' church, of Atlanta. The fund will be known as the Richard Peters' scholarship, so named after Mrs. Peters' husband.

Atlanta, Ga., July 18.—Mrs. Richard Peters, the donor of a scholarship at Sewanee for the benefit of poor ministerial students was the widow of the first president of the Western & Atlantic Railroad and made Atlanta her home for many years. She was the mother of Ralph Peters, of Garden City, L. I., president of the Long Island Railroad, and of Richard Peters, Jr., of Philadelphia, secretary and treasurer of the Pennsylvania Steel Company.

EDITORIAL ASSOCIATION.

Editors from All Parts of the United States at Detorit.

Detroit, July 18.—Editors from all parts of the United States and a considerable number from Canada are in Detroit to attend the annual convention of the National Editorial Association which began this morning. During the three days sessions there will be papers and discussions on all phases of editorial and newspaper writing and the relations of newspapers to the people.

One of the important questions to be decided by the delegates is a proposition to re-organize the association so as to include in its membership business, advertising and circulation managers of newspapers as well as editors.

IREDELL VALUES.

More Than a Million Increase in Assessments for County.

Statesville, N. C., July 18. — The county board of equalization spent yesterday working on the tax books. The books show that the approximate valuation of total and real property in Iredell in this year's assessments is $9,453,621, as against $8,168,217 last year, an increase of $1,285,404. These figures may be slightly changed, being made by the the board, but they are approximately correct.

The average valuation of land for the county is $8.37, against $7.07 four years ago, an increase of only $1.30—about 18 per cent—which it would seem is entirely too little.

Beaver, Pa., July 18.—Charles Hickman, who was to have been hanged here today for the murder of his wife, Mollie Hickman, in February, 1910, collapsed in his cell in the county jail during the night and died this morning at 8 o'clock. Hickman escaped from jail twice after his conviction and Saturday night last attempted to take his life by inhaling gas. He repeatedly told the guards that he would never live to be hanged.

ty lynchings are believed to be responsible for the bill by the Felton delegation confirming on judges, sheriffs and mayors the right to call out troops directly time of riot without appealing to the governor.

OPPOSED BY SOUTHERNERS.

Textile Manufacturers Against Revision of Cotton Goods Tariff.

Charlotte, N. C., July 18.—The Southern Textile Manufacturers are opposed to any revision of the cotton goods tariff at this time. Their opposition and the reasons therefore are set forth in a letter dictated through Chairman R. M. Miller, Jr., to Chairman Underwood, of the Ways and Means Committee of the House of Representatives. The position of the Southern manufacturers was known today following a meeting of the tariff committee of the American Cotton Manufacturers Association representing a dozen Southern States, which has held an exhaustive session today to frame the position of the Southern textile manufacturers on the proposed revision of the cotton goods tariff.

The Southern manufacturers, summarizing the latter, are opposed to any revision that will increase the percentage of importation to manufacturers.

They believe that the cotton schedule is bearing its share of the customs revenue, and there is no call for increasing the amount contained under it.

They oppose revision without adequate data, though favoring simplification of the schedule.

They oppose any revision that does not take into account Southern labor conditions.

They oppose reductions of duty on machinery and other items entering into the cost of mills.

They resent personal hearings on the tariff question and demand free and open discussion and consideration in tariff making and ask that data upon which revision is based be made public matters of record.

Lastly the committee demands a definite statement from its makers as to what this proposed tariff revision shall accomplish.

Prominent mill men from all over the South attended the meeting of the committee today.

WOOL REVISION BILL TODAY.

Will be Introduced by Senator Smoot. Details.

Washington, July 18.—Senator Smoot, of the Senate Committee on Finance, will introduce tomorrow his wool tariff revision bill. It will be presented as a substitute for the House measure and will receive the support of the regular Republicans and of the administration.

The bill provides for a general reduction on wool and woolens, but does not go so far on either as the House bill. It maintains the classifications of the present law on the three grades of wool. Instead of a rate of 11 cents per pound on first-class, a rate of nine cents per pound is provided on both classes. On washed wool of both classes the rate is doubled and on scoured wool trebled.

On third-class wool the rate is fixed three and six cents instead of four and seven cents. The "skirting clause", of which much complaint has been made by the wool growers, is eliminated.

Garnetted waste is reduced from 30 to 25 cents per pound.

The present provision assessing blankets over three yards it length has been eliminated. On women's and children's dress goods, 19 specific duties have been reduced from 11 cents to nine cents per square yard. There are also material reductions on carpets, druggets, mats, clothing and on webbings, braids, ribbons, trimmings, ets.

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URGE SMITH TO RESIGN.

Resolution Planned for This Purpose Was Not Introduced.

Atlanta, Ga., July 18.—Representatives Ragsdale, of Paulding, and Cook, of Charlton, authors of a resolution calling upon Governor Hoke Smith to resign the governorship and proceed to Washington to assume his duties as United States Senator, made two unsuccessful attempts to introduce the measure at today's session of the House. Unanimous conent for the consideration of the resolution was refused when Mr. Ragsdale sought to introduce it under that head and when new bills were introduced the speaker ruled it out of order as being a privileged measure. Mr. Ragsdale announced today he would introduce the resolution tomorrow and was confident it would be passed.

Governor Hoke Smith is "standing pat" on the senatorial situation. He has expressed publicly his regret that Senator Terrell did not see fit to remain in office a little longer. But Governor Smith shows intention of going to the Senate himself now. He is busy here on financial and educational questions of the State.

WAR ON "GET-RICH-QUICK."

Must Reckon With Organized Real Estate Men in Future.

Denver, Colo., July 18.—"Get-rich-quick" men must reckon with the organized real estate men of the country hereafter, according to President Alexander S. Taylor, who spoke at the opening of the National Association of Real Estate Exchanges here today.

President Taylor said that one of the strong policies of the association would be pursuit and conviction of men and corporations who are engaged in unloading worthless securities on the public. Nine hundred delegates from all parts of the United States and Canada gathered in the auditorium this afternoon to hear welcoming addresses and responses.

Washington, July 18.—At the request of American Minister Furness, at Port Au Prince, the United States will send another gunboat to Hatien waters to protect American and their interests now seriously threatened by the revolution against President Simon. The second warship will go to Por Au Prince, the capital. The gunboat Petrel is already at Porth Liberte, on the north coast.

Paris, July 18.—France today asked Spain to explain the arrest of M. Boisset, the French consular agent at Alcazar, Morosso, by a Spanish patrol, the report of which incident was confirmed in official advices.

Manila, July 18.—Damage amounting to $1,500,000 has been done by the typhoon in floods in Luzon. The tobacco provinces have been isolated.

TO FORM LOCAL ASSOCIATION

University of North Carolina Men to Meet Thursday.

Mr. Louis H. Goodman, Esq., yesterday mailed to the majority of the local alumni of the University of North Carolina a circular letter in regard to the formation of a local alumni association for which purpose Mr. W. H. Swift, field secretary for the Almuni Association of the University of North Carolina, will come to this city Thursday, July 20th. Mr. Goodman's letter was as follows:

"Wilmington, N. C., July 17, 1911.

"My Dear Fellow Alumnus:—Mr. W. H. Swift, field manager of the Alumni Council of the University of North Carolina, will visit our city on Thursday, July 20th, to organize a local council.

"It is up to us to greet Mr. Swift with that enthusiasm so characteristic of Chapel Hill men. Your presence will best testify to the existence of the University spirit in Wilmington.

"The Elks' Lodge has kindly tendered us its rooms. Thursday, 8:30 P. M., is the hour. Be sure to attend.

"Sincerely yours,
"LOUIS GOODMAN,
"Chairman"

While the letter was mailed to about fifty university men in the city there is a possibility that someone may have been overlooked and if such is the case, those who do not receive a copy are asked to consider the above as a personal invitation. It is hoped that all university men in Wilmington will attend the meeting, and to aid in the organization of the local association.

The meetings will be held in the reception rooms of the local lodge of Elks, which graciously tendered this ecurtesy to the Chapel Hill men.

THINK THEY HAVE BURGLAR

Police Believe They Have Arrested Negro Who Committed Robberies

William Blunt, colored, was arrested last night on the porch of the house at which he has been staying on 11th street, between Market and Princess, by Officer J. H. Davis, on a warrant charging him with housebreaking. The warrant was sworn out by Mattie Johnson, an inhabitant of the underworld. She alleges that the negro entered the house at which she is staying several nights ago and that she recognized him.

When arrested the negro had on a suit of clothes that corresponded to the description of one of the suits stolen from James Dry, a colored tailor and cleaner, a few nights ago.

The police officials believe that the man is responsible for a number of the series of burglaries that have occurred recently. It is said that he tallies with the description given by several whose homes were robbed and who caught a glimpse of the thief.

After his arrest last night search warrants were issued and officers were sent to investigate the house at which he had been staying and also the home of his mother. At a late hour this morning they had not reported the results of their search to headquarters.

MAKES BOLD THEFT.

Negro Steals 15 Sacks of Rice From Seaboard Yards.

Chief of Police John J. Fowler late yesterday afternoon arrested Walter Medway, colored, for the larceny of 15 sacks of rice from the Seaboard freight yards. The theft was a particularly bold affair. Medway drove his wagon up to where the rice was being unloaded and took on the fifteen sacks. After he had gone, the officials at the yards became suspicious and notified the ponce. Chief Fowler met the negro at the corner of Second and Market streets, placing him under arrest. Medway stated that a man had directed him to put the rice on his wagon and take it somewhere, but he seemed slightly confused when asked where. He will be tried before the Recorder this morning.

$1.00 today will buy ladies' $1.50 and $1.75 gowns at Polvogt's. **

MORE TALK OF RECALL.

Reported That Petition Has Been Drafted for Circulation.

Reports were current on the streets last night that the recall provided in the commission form of government bill would most likely be exercised right away by an element which is said to be dissatisfied with the way the affairs of the city are being conducted. One report had it that already the "death warrant" had been drawn and that the document is rather lengthy and sets forth in detail the manifold reasons for desiring a change in the personnel of the Council. According to this report, the scalp of no particular Councilman is sought, but rather a complete change is desired. Another report was to the effect that those in sympathy with "blind tigers," and who look with disfavor upon the ordinance which goes into effect Saturday giving the police the right to inspect all places holding United States whiskey or malt license, have set about to secure the removal from the Council of Councilmen Perdew and B. C. Moore, and that they would also like to see City Attorney Herbert McClammy and Assistant City Attorney Geo. L. Peschau deposed. The idea, according to the report, is to secure the support of a great many people who feel at outs with the Council on account of the cow ordinance and the support of others on other grounds, keeping in the background the real object in view.

It was stated that a well-known local attorney drew up the petition for the recall and several persons are quoted as saying that they have read the document. The attorney in question was on the beach last night and, as the telephone to his cottage was not in working order he could not be communicated with. There may or may not be anything in the rumors; they are merely given for what they are worth.

ALLEGED "TIGER" ARRESTED

Joe Collins Faces Charge of Violating Prohibition Law.

Joe Collins, a young white man, was arrested last night by Deputy Sheriff Kelly, on Second street, on a warrant sworn out on the affidavit of J. F. Bradshaw, charging him with violating the State prohibition law. He was committed to jail in default of $100 bond, but later his friends managed to raise the money and he was released. He will probably be given preliminary hearing before Justice Harriss today.

Bradshaw is the man who was recently kept in jail on a similar charge, pending his trial before jury in the Recorder's Court. In his case a nol pros with leave was taken by counsel for the State after a mistrial had resulted, and following the mistrials in similar cases against Thomas Mask Jones, colored, and Ralph Kennedy.

It is said that Bradshaw and Collins at one time conducted a near-beer saloon. Recently they dissolved partnership and over this a disagreement is said to have arose. Bradshaw's action in making the affidavit is supposed to have followed the disagreement.

CHILDREN KILL CATTLE DEALER

Unusual Crime With Robbery as Motive in Colorado.

Grand Junction, Col., July 18.—Gladys Thompson, aged 17, Lillian Osborne, aged 14, Lee Baker, aged 15, and Virgil Wilson, aged 17, by a verdict of the coroner's jury reached last evening are held for the alleged felonious drowning of Clark L. Wolfkil, a rich bachelor ranchman who was found in the creek near Clifton last Wednesday. According to the evidence brought out at the inquest the girls and boys have been living in a tent near Wolfkil's ranch.

On the morning of his death Wolfkil received $2,500 on a horse deal and at the same time the two girls visited him at his ranch. The money disappeared. About noon the girls left the ranch and came to town and in the afternoon came back with the two boys. Soon after Wolfkil's body was discovered on the river bank.

COW ORDINANCE DISCUSSED

(Continued from Page Five.)

force the ordinance until after final action of the Council.

Mr. B. A. Merritt, the wood and coal dealer, was granted privilege to lay a sidetrack across Hanover street, near Sixth. Later in the meeting City Attorney McClammy said he desired to go on record as having advised the Council not to grant the privilege. The Council adjourned at 6:30 o'clock.

The body will meet at 3 o'clock this afternoon for the purpose of deciding upon the kind of paving to be used on Front street and also to let the contract for the work.

FIRE STATION.

Two New Buildings to be Erected for the Department.

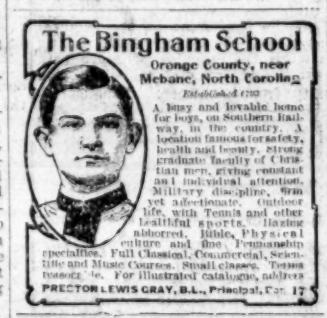
The public generally will be interested in the announcement that within the next two months work will be begun on the construction of a handsome fire station at corner of Fourth and Princess streets to take the place of the present unsightly and unsafe structure and that about the same time work will be commenced on a new combination market and fire house at corner of Fifth and Castle street, supplanting the present market house on that corner. The firemen at Sixth and Castle streets will be moved down to Fifth and Castle and the property now occupied by them will be sold and the money applied to the new building.

The building at Fourth and Princess streets will cost between $20,000 and $25,000, and in addition to quarters for the firemen provision will be made for taking care of the police teams and also the city teams underneath the structure. The building will be erected on a foundation of pilings and cement. The new structure at Fifth and Castle will cost about $10,000 or $15,000. It will be a combination market and fire house, something on the order of the building at Fourth and Campbell streets.

Councilman B. C. Moore, in charge of the Department of Public Safety, is now at work on the proposition and he will call for plans from architects within a few days. When the plans have been received and accepted, bids for doing the work will be called for. He said last night that it is hoped to begin work on both buildings not later than October 1st and probably earlier.

Salvation Army Services

Beginning tomorrow night at 8 P. M. there will be a special two-nights service at the Salvation Army Hall up stairs at No. 205 Market street. The services will be conducted by Major White, assisted by Adjutant Quirk, both of Atlanta. The officers and soldiers of the local post will also assist. Thursday, July 20th, at 8 P. M., there will be an interesting dedication service when two babies will be given away Friday, July 21st, at 8 P. M., in addition to an interesting talk on "The Puncher," by Major White there will be music by the Cape Fear Independent Band.



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NOTICE OF MORTGAGEE'S SALE OF LAND.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned mortgagee, under and by virtue of the power of sale, contained in a certain mortgage deed, executed to the undesigned by C. H. Carter and his wife, A. P. Carter, on the 7th day of April, 1910, and duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of New Hanover County in Book 59, at Page 571, will, on the 15th day of August, 1911, at 12 o'clock, noon, at the Court House door of New Hanover county, sell at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash, the following described lots or parcels of land, conveyed by said mortgage deed, to wit:

First Tract: That certain lot of land beginning at the northeast intersection of Eighth and Orange streets, and running thence north along the eastern line of Eighth street, thirty-three (33) feet; thence eastwardly and parallel with Orange street, seventy-five (75) feet; thence southwardly, and parallel with Eighth street, thirty-three (33) feet to the northern line of Orange street; thence westwardly, along the northern line of Orange street, seventy-five (75) feet, to the beginning; being the western part of Lot No. 6½, in block No. 146, according to the official plan of the City of Wilmington, N. C., and being the same lot of land conveyed by deed from P. Q. Moore and wife to said parties of the first part, bearing date the 7th day of April, 1909, and recorded in Book 58, at page 250, in the office of the Register of Deeds of New Hanover county, aforesaid.

Second Tract: That certain tract, piece or parcel of land situate, lying and being in Pender county, State aforesaid, adjoining the lands of Giles Bryant and others, and bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a stake near a large sweet gum in the edge of a branch on the line of the W. & W. Railroad Company's lands, and runs south 58 east, about 12 poles, to a large pine, a corner of Giles Bryant's two tracts; thence with said line south 58 east, 25 poles, to a maple stump; thence south 29 east, 24 poles, to a pine, a corner of Giles Bryant's land; thence south 20 east, 20 poles, to a stake on the side of a ditch; thence about north 67½ east, 22 poles, to an old pine stump; thence south 46 east, 26 poles, to a stake near a black gum in a meadow; thence south 54 east, 10 poles, to a lightwood stump and small pine; thence south 45 east, about 12 poles, to a stake in a meadow, a corner of the Morris Tate lands; thence north 40 east, 34 poles, to a small pine in the run of Williamson's Branch; thence up the run of said branch north 69 east, 36 poles, to the head of said branch, a black gum; thence north, about 55 west, about 120 poles, to a stake in the Railroad Company's line (the old James' corner); thence with said Railroad Company's line south 19 west, about 71 poles, to the beginning; containing forty-five and one-half (45½) acres, more or less.

Third Tract: Situate, lying and being in Bladen county, North Carolina, on or near Lyon Swamp, adjoining Haywood Corbett and others, beginning at a pine with 9 pines and two black oak pointers, and runs thence south 32 east, 2,850 feet to a stake; thence south 64 east, 1,380 feet to a stake; thence north 20 east 1,419 feet to a pine and pine pointers; thence north, 26 west, 2,244 feet to a stake; thence north 83 west, 990 feet, to the beginning, containing one hunded (100) acres, more or less, and being part of the tract of land conveyed to the parties of the first part by Max Meyers.

This, the 8th day of July, 1911.

E. G. CARRIER, Mortgagee.

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SECOND GRAND EXCURSION

to

ASHEVILLE, N. C., THE LAND OF THE SKY, VIA SOUTHERN RAILWAY.

TUESDAY, JULY 25th, 1911.

The Southern Railway offers another opportunity to visit this Fairy Land with its beautiful scenery and cool mountain breezes. Special train will be operated through to Asheville from Goldsboro, Selma, Raleigh, Durham and intermediate stations to Greensboro.

Very low round trip fares are scheduled as follows:

Leave Goldsboro 7:00 A. M.	$5.00
Leave Selma, 7:35 A. M.	5.00
Leave Raleigh, 9:00 A. M.	4.75
Leave Durham, 10:10 A. M.	4.75

Tickets will be good returning to leave Asheville on any regular train up to and including Friday, July 28th, 1911. Rates in same proportion from all intermediate stations. Special cars for colored people.

For further information see your Agent or address,

J. O. JONES,
Traveling Passenger Agent,
215 Fayetteville St.,
Raleigh, N. C.

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EXCURSION TO WILMINGTON.

JULY 31st and AUGUST 1st and 2nd VIA ATLANTIC COAST LINE.

Account Reunion of the North Carolina Division of United Confederate Veterans on August 2nd and 3rd, the Atlantic Coast Line will sell excursion tickets to Wilmington from stations in North Carolina at an exceedingly low rate.

Tickets will be on sale July 31st and August 1st and 2nd limited to return to reach original starting points by or before midnight of August 6th, and the rates will be open to the public.

The above excursion presents an exceptional opportunity for a few days' outing at Wilmington, Wrightsville Beach, Carolina Beach and Southport as well as a most enjoyable participation in the elaborate programme arranged for the entertainment of the Confederate veterans.

For further particulars and tickets call on Ticket Agents, or address T. C. White, G. P. A., or W. J. Craig, P. T. M., Wilmington, N. C.

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NORTH CAROLINA, NEW HANOVER COUNTY.

Masonboro Township. Entry of Land, No. 9133.

The undersigned claimants, being citizens of the State of North Carolina, hereby set forth and show that the following tract or parcel of land, to wit: Lying and being in Masonboro Township, New Hanover county, North Carolina, and more fully described as follows, viz: Lying in the marsh of Masonboro Sound, on the South side of the main channel, and beginning at the mouth of Jennett's Creek, and running thence southwestwardly with the main channel of the Sound about four hundred and fifty yards, to the mouth of Shell Bed creek; thence southwardly with the run of said creek about thirty (30) yards to a stake; thence a northwestwardly course to the mouth of a cut, where Clam Creek empties into Jennett's; thence with Jennett's Creek to the beginning, containing three (3) acres, more or less, in vacant and unappropriated land belonging to the State of North Carolina, and subject to entry; and the undersigned claimants hereby make entry of, lay claim to and pray for a grant for said land.

J. J. PINER,
H. B. SHEPARD,
C. H. STOKLEY.

Entry filed July 14th, 1911.

JOHN HAAR,
Register of Deeds and Acting Entry Taker.
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BIDS FOR REMOVAL OF SLOPS.

Bids are requested for the removal of all slops in the city of Wilmington in accordance with specifications to be had from the superintendent of health. Bids will be opened on the 25th day of July. The right is reserved to reject any or all bids. Mark envelopes "Bid for Removal of Slops," and address same to

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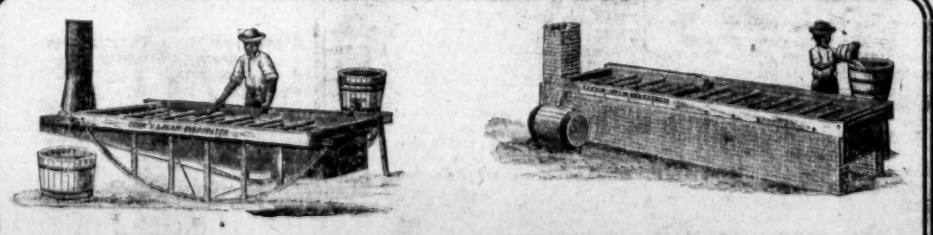

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DAY'S DOINGS IN RALEIGH

Reward for Criminal Assault Fiend—Raleigh Health Affairs—Y M C A Secretary—Agricultural Report—Notes.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., July 18.—Governor Kitchin has offered a reward of $400 for the unknown fiend who criminally assaulted Mrs. M. E. Beck, early Sunday morning at her home in Rockingham, Richmond county. The reward is at the request of the Rockingham authorities who have also offered $500 reward, the crime being especially atrocious. The only clue is a cap the fellow left in the room and his tracks across the field through which he ran to get away. It is not even known whether he was a negro or a white man. Mrs. Beck is 60 years old.

The Raleigh Health League has started a crusade against flies in Raleigh through the offering of $100 in prizes to persons who bring in the most dead flies during the next month. the prizes are $25, $10, $5 and $1 each. The flies are to be delivered to the city health officer.

J. E. Johnson, of Timmonsville, S. C., is to come to Raleigh and manage the finances of the Raleigh Y. M. C. A. building enterprise for the association here until a regular secretary can be elected for the association, which is not to begin active association work until the proposed $75,000 building is erected. He is to give personal attention to the collection of the pledges to the building fund as they fall due.

The tangle over the election of a county superintendent of health for Wake county that led to the arbitrary appointment of Dr. J. J. L. McCullers as superintendent, has also developed the arrangement of a schedule of fees instead of a salary that could not be agreed upon. The schedule included $4 for the inspector of each county institution; $5 for examination of a lunatic for commitment; $10 for post mortem examinations at the coroner's request; $1.50 for each visit to sick inmates of county institutions with 50 cents per mile mileage; $10 per case for obstetrical work and for surgical work fees fixed by the Wake Medical Society less one-third. The proposed salary that failed of confirmation was $2,500.

The 1911 report of Commissioner of Agriculture Graham is just from the printers and is the most voluminous and important the North Carolina department has ever issued. It comprises more than 800 pages securely and attractively bound in cloth and comprehensively indexed. The volume includes numbers of the most important bulletins issued during the past two years and a comprehensive presentation of the work of the several divisions of the department for that period. Also there is special attention to the farmer's institute work together with the most notable lectures delivered in these institutions the past year.

Acting Police Justice Harris has suspended judgment as to both the belligerents in the recent aldermanic fist fight between Alderman J. Sherwood Upchurch and Alderman Alexander Webb. Both submitted to the charge and pleaded provocation, that it was due to quick tempers. In an animated discussion while the board was in session Upchurch declared that Webb was a liar and knew it. He apologized so far as the board was concerned and when Webb, later, called him for a personal apology the fight resulted.

The Wake county grand jury, in its final report to the court just filed, recommends that an educational building be erected adjacent to the present Court House to provide ample quarters for the county superintendent of Public Instruction and the County Board of Education. The reason for this is set out to be that the Court House is now over crowded with offices and the Wake Educational Department is in great need of adequate quarters.

O. C. Branch, Seaboard Air Line engineer, has been exonerated from the charge of slandering a young woman from New Hill. He was required to give $100 bond two weeks ago, but the woman now comes forward and expresses satisfaction that the charge was untrue.

Rev. A. J. Moncrief, now pastor of the Tabernacle Baptist church, of Raleigh, and formerly president of Cox College, Atlanta, today announced that he had declined the presidency of Union University, formerly the Southwestern University, at Jackson, Tenn. Rev. Mr. Moncrief came to Raleigh several years ago from Forsyth, Ga., where he was pastor of the local Baptist church and chaplain at Bessie Tift College.

KNOCKED PROPRIETOR DOWN.

Automobilists Made It Rough for Mountain Hotel Man.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Asheville, N. C., July 18.—Over the long distance telephone it was learned today that Proprietor Mills, of the Gladstone Hotel was knocked unconscious by an unknown man traveling in an automobile yesterday about 4 o'clock in the afternoon. It was stated that Mr. Mills was not seriously injured and seemed to be all right today.

According to the report a man, supposed to be from Asheville, traveling in an automobile with a lady, another man and the driver, stopped at the hotel. The man went into the hotel and asked for something to drink of a lady who was temporarily in charge of the hotel. She showed him the water cooler and he replied that he wanted something stronger and she told him that there was nothing stronger. After the man had gone away, Mr. Mills heard of the occurrence and afterward met up with the man in some way before the machine had left the town. They had some words and it is said that Mr. Mills cursed the man and they came to blows. They were parted, when it is said that Mr. Mills cursed the man again, who then struck Mr. Mills a very hard blow with his fist, to such purpose that Mr. Mills was rendered unconscious for some time. It is not known who the man was that inflicted the blow.

Today at Polvogt's—$1.50 and $1.75 gowns and skirts for $1.00. **

LIQUOR IN ASHEVILLE.

Pastor Comments Upon Public Sentiment in the Mountain Metropolis.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Asheville, N. C., July 18.—At the Haywood Street Methodist church yesterday in the course of his sermon, Rev. W. A. Newell made some rather forcible remarks concerning the results of trials and judgments in the case of certain defendants who were accused of having engaged in the whiskey traffic Mr. Newell based his remarks on an article which appeared in the Gazette-News in which the results of some of these trials were reviewed. Some of the judgments were rendered by Judge Lane who held the last week of the special term of court.

Reading the article to his congregation Mr. Newell reviewed the situation regarding the whiskey traffic here, stating that for a long time it was impossible to secure the conviction of whiskey dealers and now when public sentiment is such that these convictions can be had, it was pretty hard for the offenders to be turned loose by the judicial authorities.

Referring to some of the continued cases he stated that it looked all right, if they were all to be turned loose, that the docket should be split and half turned loose at a time.

Mr. Newell then took up the cases in detail and asked if $500 would hold Wiley Black on the chain gang. He reviewed the case of Daddy Bradley saying that he was at first informed by the papers that he had been fined $60 but that the latest report is that the citizens are taxed with the costs of the case; that it is evidently a costly experiment to fool with "Daddy" Bradley. As to the requirement that Bradley is to appear in court from time to time to show good behavior, Mr. Newell declared he thought that any time a hundred men could be found who would say that Bradley never had sold whiskey; that evidently the court had held that the only purpose in the association of Bradley with Black was the reformation of Wiley.

Mr. Newell declared that the result of these requirements to appear in court were not altogether satisfactory; that since Wiley Black had been pardoned, but conditionally, by the Governor, he had been convicted in various courts and the Governor was still waiting for evidence while Wiley remained at large.

He declared that he was sorry for the fellows who have been previously convicted and had to pay up; that they had quit the game too soon.

Such as the above, he said might be contempt of court but that we need some legislation to preserve the people from the contempt of the courts which they have created. He had spent half of a night not long ago trying to get a mob of people from taking a criminal from the courts and now it is humiliating to his sense of citizenship to be forced to criticise the same courts within a week.

In closing the minister declared that the people of Asheville have expressed themselves in regard to this subject and he believed that the laws and the action of the police cour represent the wishes of the largest element of the people.

HOOKWORM DISPENSARIES.

Have Been Opened in Sampson County in Charge of Experts.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Clinton, N. C., July 18.—State and county free hookworm dispensaries are now being conducted in Sampson county with great success. On the first Monday in July Sampson County Board of Commissioners met the proposition of the Hookworm Commission of the State Board of Health by appropriating a sum not to exceed $50 a week for six weeks for the running of ten free hookworm dispensaries. Five of these dispensaries are now running in the southern end of the county one day a week for three successive weeks; then the dispensaries in the northern end of the county will be opened.

These dispensaries are becoming very popular. Many people visit them daily for sanitary advice and hookworm examinations. These dispensaries may be called sanitary schools. Where lectures on rural sanitation and hookworm disease are delivered; literature on hookworm disease, typhoid fever, flies and sanitation is free to all visitors; also drugs and advice for treating and preventing hookworm and other diseases.

All dispensaries are in charge of a State hookworm specialist and a trained microscopist.

DIED IN FLORENCE, S. C.

Robert L. Brown, of Timmonsville, Passes Away of Fever.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Timmonsville, S. C., July 15.—Robert Lee Brown, who recently purchased property in Timmonsville and moved his family here from Cronly, N. C., died of typhoid fever and an abscess on the brain at the infirmary in Florence, S. C., July 12th. He was born September the 6th, 1872, being, at the time of his death 39 years of age.

He leaves a widow, who was Miss Mattie Peele, a father, a brother, two sisters and an adopted son in whom his heart was centered.

A friend who knew him well, in writing to Mrs. Brown, says: "It is hard to realize that my old friend has gone. I do not believe there was ever a truer friend than Mr. Brown, and I shall always cherish his memory as one of the few men in whom I had unbounded and implicit confidence. He was a most amiable man, and one altogether free from criticism of a harsh and unjust kind." His wife, who knew him best, lays upon his bier this high tribute: "No better husband or truer man ever lived." Loving hands laid his body to rest in the Timmonsville cemetery, there to await the resurrection morn. A. FRIEND.

Escaped With His Life.

"Twenty-one years ago I faced an awful death," writes H. B. Martin, Port Harrelson, S. C. "Doctors said I had consumption and the dreadful cough. I had looked like it, sure enough. I tried everything, I could hear of, for my cough, and was under the treatment of the best doctor in Georgetown, S. C., for a year, but could get no relief. A friend advised me to try Dr. King's New Discovery. I did so, and was completely cured. I feel that I owe my life to this great throat and lung cure." Its positvely guaranteed for coughs, colds and all bronichal affections. 50c. and $1.00. Trial bottle free at R. R. Bellamy.

WADESBORO POSTMASTERSHIP.

Many Aspirants in Field on Account of Reported Vacancy—Notes.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Wadesboro, N. C., July 18.—For some time Wadesboro will be in the midst of a great postmastership fight. The present postmaster, Mr. P. B. Matheson, has been unwell for about six months and the work has been carried on by his brother, Mr. Lawrence Matheson. But it is rumored that another postmaster would be appointed and candidates are plentiful.

Mr. J. L. Matheson, former postmaster for many years, and father of the present incumbent, is a candidate. He has been a leader of the Republican party in this county for many years and is a regular and a follower of Duncan. Another candidate is Mr. A. C. Blande, a young business man here. Mr. Blande has always been a progressive, energetic Republican. He is a believer in Morehead. He has taken an active part in the political campaigns of this county and is making a hard fight for the appointment. The third candidate is Mr. George Threadgill, who is said to have had many signers of his petition recommending his appointment.

Mr. T. B. Leak, a son of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Leak, has recently been appointed the Seaboard Air Line agent at Darlington, S. C., and will assume charge of the work there Wednesday morning. Mr. Leak, though a very young man, is an extra good railroad man. For more than three years he has been cashier for the Atlantic Coast Line and Southbound Railways here.

OPTOMETRISTS MEET.

Gathering at Asheville This Week—Jewelers and Opticians.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Asheville, N. C., July 18.—Tuesday and Wednesday Asheville will be the gathering place of the optometrists of the State in the convention which they hold at the Battery Park Hotel. The session is to last two days and the examination of applicants for license to practice optometry will be given during the convention. Local members have arranged to give the visitors a trolley ride Tuesday and a smoker while a banquet will be tendered them at the Battery Park Wednesday night.

Immediately after this meeting the association of opticians and jewelers meet in annual session. This is a separate organization but many of the members of the former belong to the latter. About fifty members of the former organization are expected to attend.

Chicago, July 18.—There will be two "Heine" Zimmermans with the Chicago Nationals next season. The new "Heine" hails from the Atlanta club of the Southern League, plays center field. He stole 105 bases last season. President Murphy announced today that he would purchase the player for use next season.

A MOTHER'S DUTY

It is the duty of every expectant mother to prepare her system for the coming of her little one; to avoid as far as possible the suffering of such occasions, and endeavor to pass through the crisis with her health and strength unimpaired. This she may do through the use of Mother's Friend, a remedy that has been so long in use, and accomplished so much good, that it is in no sense an experiment, but a preparation which always produces the best results. It is for exernal application and so penetrating in its nature as to thoroughly lubricate every muscle, nerve and tendon involved during the period before baby comes. It aids nature by expanding the skin and tissues, relieves tenderness and soreness, and perfectly prepares the system for natural and safe motherhood. Mother's Friend has been used and endorsed by thousands of mothers, and its use will prove a comfort and a benefit to any woman in need of such a remedy. Mother's Friend is sold at drug stores. Write for free book for expectant mothers, which contains much valuable information.

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DEPARTURES	TO AND FROM	ARRIVALS:
No. 90, 13:40 A. M.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk and Eastern North Carolina points Connects at Goldsboro with Southern Railway and Norfolk Southern Railroad. (Leaves Norfolk 13:35 P. M. and Richmond 14:10 P. M.)	No. 91, a 1:00 A. M.
No. 51, * 5:45 A. M.	Chadbourn, Conway, Florence, Charleston, Columbia and Asheville, Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Columbia, open to receive passengers at and after 10:00 P. M., and may be occupied until 7:00 A. M.	No. 50, *12:00 A. M.
No. 64, ‡5:50 A. M.	Jacksonville, Newbern and Intermediate Stations.	No. 65, ‡6:50 P. M.
*8:00 A. M. No. 48,	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk and Washington. Connects at Rocky Mount with New York Trains with Pullman Service.	No. 49, * 6:15 P. M.
No. 53, * 8:45 A. M.	Solid train between Wilmington and Mt. Airy, via Fayetteville and Sanford. Pullman Parlor Car between Wilmington and Greensboro.	No. 52, *8:05 P. M.
No. 55, * 3:15 P. M.	Chadbourn, Florence, Charleston, Savannah, All Florida Points, Columbia, Asheville and the West. Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Columbia.	No. 54, *1:40 P. M.
No. 62, ‡3:25 P. M.	Jacksonville, Newbern and Intermediate Stations.	No. 63, ‡12:50 P. M.
No. 50, *6:30 P. M.	Fayetteville, Sanford and Intermediate Stations.	No. 60, *10:15 A. M.
No. 68, x 6:45 P. M.	Jacksonville, Newbern and Intermediate Stations.	No. 69, x 10:15 A. M.
No. 42, *7:00 P. M.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk, Washington and New York. Pullman Broiler, Buffet Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Washington, connecting with New York trains, with Pullman and Dining Car Service. Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Norfolk.	No. 41, * 9:45 A. M.
No. 57, *7:30 P. M.	Chadbourn, Conway and Intermediate Stations.	No. 58, * 8:30 A. M.

* Daily. ‡ Daily except Sunday. x Sunday only. a Daily except Monday.

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To the Beach

SUBURBAN SCHEDULE

IN EFFECT JUNE 3RD, 1911.

WEEK DAYS:

Leave Wilmington:	Leave Beach:
6:30 A. M.	6:05 A. M.
	6:54 A. M.
and every half hour thereafter until 11:00 P. M. 12 P. M.	7:15 A. M. and every half hour thereafter until 11:45 P. M.

FREIGHT.

Leave Wilmington:	Leave Beach:
6:00 A. M.	7:15 A. M.
10:00 A. M.	12:15 P. M.
4:00 P. M.	6:15 P. M.
7:00 P. M.	8:15 P. M.

Freight Depot open daily, except Sunday, from 8 A. M. to 1 P. M., and from 2 P. M. to 7 P. M.

SUNDAYS.

Leave Wilmington:	Leave Beach:
7:00 A. M.	6:45 A. M.
8:30 A. M.	7:45 A. M.
and every half hour thereafter until 11:00 P. M. 12:00 P. M.	9:15 A. M. and every half hour thereafter until 11:45 P. M.

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Ar. Wilson, A. C. L.		11:00 p. m.
Lv. Wilmington, A. C. L.	15:50am.	*3:25pm
Ar. New Bern, A. C. L.	9:15am	6:50pm
Lv. Goldsboro, N. S. R. R.	*7:15am	*10:15pm
Lv. New Bern, N. S. R. R.	9:30am	12:30am
Lv. Wilson, N. S. R. R.	*8:20am	*11:30pm
Lv. Wash'gton, N. S. R. R.	10:50am	2:20am
Ar. Norfolk, N. S. R. R.	3:35pm	8:00am

SOUTH BOUND.

Lv. Norfolk, N. S. R. R.	3:00 p. m.
Ar. Goldsboro, N. S. R. R.	6:20 a. m.
Ar. Wilson, N. S. R. R.	8:06 a. m.
Ar. Wilmington	9:45 a. m.

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Trains Leave Wilmington, Effective April 20th, 1911.

No. 45—5:00 A. M.—For Hamlet, and intermediate points to Charlotte, connects at Hamlet with No. 66, for Raleigh and points North.

No. 39—3:40 P. M.—For Charlotte, connecting at Hamlet with through trains for Atlanta, Birmingham, Jacksonville, Norfolk, New York, and trains in all directions. Arrive Hamlet 7:40 P. M.; leave Hamlet, 8:00 P. M.; arrive Charlotte, 10:50 P. M.

Trains Arrive at Wilmington:

No. 40—12:20 P. M.—From Charlotte.

No. 44—11:50 P. M.—From Charlotte and intermediate points.

No. 45 connects at Hamlet with No. 66, for all points North; at Monroe, with No. 53, for Atlanta.

No. 39 connects at Hamlet with No. 41, for Atlanta, Birmingham and Memphis. No. 84, for Washington and New York; No. 32, for Portsmouth, Norfolk, and No. 43, for Columbia, Savannah and Jacksonville.

Parlor car service will be maintained between Wilmington and Charlotte on No. 39, leaving Wilmington at 3:40 P. M., and No. 40, arriving at Wilmington at 12:20 P. M. Daily Pullman service between Wilmington and Atlanta, leaving Wilmington No. 39, 3:40 P. M.; arriving Atlanta No. 41, 6:15 A. M.; No. 38; leaving Atlanta, 9:55 P. M.; arriving Wilmington, No. 40, 12:20 P. M. Daily Pullman Service on trains 44 and 45, between Wilmington and Charlotte. Car open at Union depot for passengers, at 10 o'clock P. M.

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Stmp. "Navahoe," Saturday, July 15th, 1911.
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Wednesday, July 19, 1911.

"Damabelicoseokaspeilerana" is Japanese for Captain Hooson.

It's all over but going to the National Democratic convention in Baltimore.

Senator Heyburn is so grouchy he disturbs the serenity of other Senators who are trying to keep cool.

A dispatch says the rubber factories are going to shut down. However, the rubber-necks will not shut up.

An aviator's wife never knows when she will be a widow in accordance with the unvarying law of gravitation.

In spite of the warm weather, Senator Lorimer has continued to wear his toga buttoned up close around his neck.

There is danger of democracy in North Carolina getting a severe twist if things continue as they have started.—Raleigh News.

Men are willing to give a woman everything she wants except an office and enough salary to pay board and buy a ribbon for her neck.

Says the Atlanta Journal: "Don't judge the town by the ball teams." Yes, but think of what is thought of a town that hasn't got any ball team.

All things may come to the man who waits but very few consider it worth while to wait for the bill collector to come. Some people always manage to see him first.

"Back to the farm?" Uh-huh! It's watermelon time, and the yellow-legged chicken is just the size when it's fun to see him dodging in the weeds to avoid the ultimate consumer.

The waterwagon furnishes a safe ride for those in the reserved seats, but when a jolt comes there is a hard fall for the individual who simply jumped on to try a ride on the dashboard.

Men who want an office have earnest convictions upon what they think the majority of voters will stand for. The statesman who is a genuine leader announces his platform and invites the people to get on it with him. There are very few statesmen.

One reason some men get classed as liars is that they do not speak in a way to make themselves plainly understood. Men are often misunderstood because they speak evasively instead of positively. Evasion often paves the way to prevarication.

The Hon. Eugen Foss used to be a Republican but he saw what was coming and got so Democratic that the people of his district sent him to Congress. He saw that it was good to represent the people instead of special interests, so he has announced that he wants to succeed himself as a Democrat because that spells the people in the saddle.

There is now current a magazine story entitled "The Jungle Queen." Of course, and also as a matter of "course," we might take to the woods and read it, but think of the refined romance there is at Wilmington's seaside resorts where "The Beach Queens" are receiving the homage of thousands of admiring subjects. No Jungle Queen for us!

What has become of the old-fashioned editor who used to produce hieroglyphics for interpretation by the old-fashioned typo? Of course, the quandam type-sticker was driven to drink by the heirogliphic productions of those times, but anyhow, where is the pristime editor whose chirographic lines resembled the trail of a worm which fell overboard in the ink-well?

TOURISTS FOR ALL SEASONS.

The North continues to swelter and the temperatures are remarkably high in comparison with those in the South. It seems queer, and our Northern friends will hardly believe it, yet the Weather Bureau reports verify it. The whole truth is that the meteorological conditions are such that the climate South is more equable Winter and Summer than it is in the North or West. The South is largely free from the extremes of heat in Summer and cold in Winter, while Southern ranges of temperature at all seasons of the year are less freakish than those experienced in the other parts of the country.

Comparison of the records show that during the first hot spells this Summer the temperatures in various cities of the South show an average of 10 to 15 degrees lower than in cities of the North and West. The North and West are just getting over their second visitation of hot weather, the toll of which has been thousands of lives. Meanwhile around Wilmington, while some days have been uncomfortable, we have never heard of a sun stroke. The nights also have been pleasant and we cannot recall a single one that was too warm for refreshing sleep. While this is true, it is a fact that at Wilmington's seaside resorts and in the mountains of North Carolina people have been sleeping under blankets and could scarcely believe the news carried by the morning papers concerning the terrible consequences of the heat up North. Mr. Albert Phenis, of the Manufacturers' Record, who happened to be traveling in the South during the heat waves, emphasizes the climatic advantages of the South in a letter in the current issue of the Manufacturers' Record. He says:

"I wish the people of the North could realize what comfort the lower South has experienced during the last two weeks, while the entire North has been simply burning up. It would be almost impossible to convince anybody in the North of the marvelous difference in conditions which have prevailed during the time that the North has been suffering from the heat. Any newspaper statements would fail to carry conviction. As an illustration, I sat yesterday morning in Mr. Willis S. Thompson's office at Hattiesburg on the top floor of a very low building (about five stories, as I regard it), and there was such a strong breeze that we had to shut down the windows, and both of us sat there with woolen coats on and altogether comfortable. I do not think that the temperature got as high as 80 degrees, and for days at a time the thermometer has not showed as high at 90 degrees, while the cool breeze from the Gulf all along this section has made conditions really delightful. I have not heard of a heat prostration anywhere in the South during the present season. If there is any way in which these facts can be burned into the consciousness of the Northern people it would be the greatest advertisement to the Northern people of the South which could possibly be devised. It is really too bad that we are not able to 'can' some of this weather and exhibit it to the North in some such way as moving pictures are now employed for the faithful representation of scenes of countries more or less unknown."

The Manufacturers' Record editorially endorses the views of Mr. Phenis, and makes the statement stronger by contrasting the heat record of 80 degrees in portions of the South with temperatures ranging from 95 to 105 in the North. Referring to Mr. Phenis' declaration that these facts should be "burned into the consciousness of Northern people," it strikes us that just such weather publicity as is contained in his letter and in the editorial in the Manufacturers' Record will be sufficient to awaken Northern people to the actual truth that the South is a good place to spend the Summers as well as the Winters which they find so delightful around Wilmington and in many places in the Carolinas, Georgia and Florida.

If Northerners knew how truly delightful it is at Wilmington's seaside resorts, they would be here by the thousands. It is about time that we should let them know it and especially should we prepare to entertain Northern tourists here during the charming sub-tropical Winters for which Wilmington is famous. If we had the hotels and would let it be known, we could make Wilmington one of the chief meccas in the Winter resort circuit. The people who come to spend the Winters go from resort to resort and while some are going others are coming. Such is the experience of such places as Southern Pines, Camden, Aiken, Jacksonville, and other cities which cater to and are especially prepared to take care of Winter tourists.

DROUGHT PRICES AND LIVING.

The Star a few days ago briefly mentioned that one of the results of the drought around Wilmington was the scarcity of vegetables and the consequent high prices of just about everything with which the table should be bountifully and cheply supplied at this season of the year. The drought has clearly illustrated the effect of the law of supply and demand, the cutting down of the supply away below the demand having so stiffened prices that the most common vegetables have become luxuries, when the price is considered.

The best markets we ever saw, so far as fine vegetables are concerned, are in Washington and Baltimore, but this from the Washington Post will indicate the condition there and bear out what we have been saying about the serious problem that a housekeeper has to face on account of the dry weather:

"Famine prices for farm products have ruled in Washington markets all season, but the ravages of the drought will be brought home in a sharper sense now that the shortage of vegetation has caused an advance in the price of milk, which goes into every home with daily regularity. The dry spell which early in May prevailed in Virginia, Maryland and Pennsylvania has had but a single break in the lack of moisture, and that of too brief duration to do much good. The failure of the strawberry crop has been followed by like disastrous results in the cultivation of potatoes, green corn, tomatoes and minor crops. With corn retailing at 40 cents a dozen, potatoes 75 cents a peck, tomatoes 12 cents a pound, and other articles in proportion, in the middle of July, when garden truck usually rules at the minimum price, the townspeople are experiencing the fact that Old Sol's factorship in the cost-of-living problem is more to be reckoned with in the present exigency than monopoly and manipulation. There are ways of breaking an artificial famine; at least, supplies held in reserve by the storage interests are a guarantee against a real scarcity. But when solar heat is the agency of famine, the loss is total. Two weeks more of unbroken torridity, the farmers say, would complete the ruin. Not enough would be harvested to meet the farmers' own wants. The damage in the territory from which Washington markets are supplied already amounts to many millions in the aggregate. Each day of additional dry weather means still more millions, and with no promise of rain in the near future, it would seem that high prices will be the rule until another season comes around, accompanied by more favoring weather."

Of course, we have had a dry season that has beaten all records, but had we known it was coming, our moist savannah lands could have been utilized to great advantage. Even in an ordinary Summer, unless the drainage is thorough, these lands are too wet to be available for any agricultural or horticultural purpose, but just think of the thousands of acres of such lands that could be made fit for cultivation and render our farmers almost independent of dry seasons! Even if such lands were to be affected by drought, they could be easily irrigated from the drainage canals that could be thus utilized for two purposes.

Around Wilmington recently we have had good rains and within a week or so we should have plenty of vegetables, since it does not take long for recuperation in such a fast growing region as this. Even recent plantings will soon be on the market, if the growers have been thoughtful enough to plant more seed.

As the seasons in the North are short and the people up there will hardly be able to recover from the drought in order to secure their usual bountiful supply of vegetables in late Summer, it would be a good idea for our growers to prepare for large Fall crops, especially Irish potatoes. In fact, it is quite apparent that Northern cities will furnish profitable markets now as well as in the Fall months.

EXTRA PROLIFIC CORN.

While deep ploughing, improved cultural methods, and scientific fertilization are having a great deal to do with the great increase in the production of corn per acre in North Carolina, it must be remembered that seed selection and the variety of corn adopted are great factors in the increase in yield. Some varieties of corn are more prolific than others, and we know some farmers who have bought and planted improved corn and beaten the man that originated the variety. It was done by seed selection, just as the originator of the variety got his start in the introduction of the variety.

We know a farmer who bought some corn that produced from two to three ears of corn to the stalk, but by intelligent seed selection he now has his own variety with three to five large ears to the stalk. When one stalk of corn bears more plentiful than any others it is a good idea to watch it and save the seed according to the best seed selection method, carefully preserving only the perfect grains and the ears with the most symmetrical rows of corn.

Our eastern North Carolina farmers are paying more attention to seed selection than was ever known, and since corn grows to perfection here, where the season is long and suitable for securing the best results, there is no reason why we should not have quite a number of growers of fine seed corn for the market. Speaking about prolific corn, what would you think of a stalk containing 25 ears, or embryo ears? Robeson county comes forward with such a specimen, for we get this from the Lumberton Robesonian, of July 17th:

"Mr. J. B. Humphrey, who lives on route 2, from Lumberton, in the Saddle Tree section, sent to town Saturday by Mr. Richard Humphrey the outbeatenest thing in the way of tasseled ears of corn that ever happened. At one point on the piece of stalk that wes sent there are fully 25 partially developed ears of corn. The exact number could not be determined without tearing the bunch to pieces, and it is too pretty and unusual a sight to do that, but there are fully 25. Anybody who wants to see this curiosity may take a look at it at the Robesonian office. If this is an earnest of what Mr. Humphrey's corn is going to do he is going to make folks sit up and take notice when the returns are all in."

When corn gets to growing in a bunch, it must be great, and who knows but what some corn wizard will produce that variety some of these times? It is a pity that Mr. Humphrey took that curiosity from the field. He should have let it come to maturity, saved the seed and planted them next season so he could watch the result. Even if the ears had been small, something wonderful may have come out of planting the variety in succession for several seasons. No satisfactory result may have been achieved at all, but who can tell?

Robeson is hard to beat, anyhow, and we are prepared to believe most any agricultural revelation from that county, especially when it comes from as capable a farmer as Mr. Humphrey.

CURRENT COMMENT.

Perhaps Senator Lorimer wouldn't mind having his toga taken from him while this weather lasts.—Washington Post.

What would North Carolina do without its extremes—the Land of the Sky and Water of Wrightsville!—Columbia State.

Vardaman makes all the noise in the Mississippi senatorial race, and if he should win it will be the strongest argument yet presented against the election of United States senators by the mob.—Chattanooga Times.

Twenty wagon loads of blackberries were counted on the streets of Mt. Airy in one day last week. While the blackberry crop is unusually large in Rowan, not enough of these delicious berries are offered on the Salisbury market for half of our people to have an occasional pie.—Salisbury Post.

The promoters of the Raleigh & Charlotte Railroad held a meeting in Albemarle Friday. At this meeting they discussed plans for getting the road under way, and while they would give out nothing for publication, The Chronicle has learned that they are considering a proposition to run the road from Albemarle to Concord instead of to Charlotte. They are to meet again in Greensboro on July 27, when the talk will be resumed. The Chronicle some weeks ago gave the route of this proposed road. It would almost parallel the Durham & Charlotte and it would seem the proper thing to do would be to pick up this road at Mt. Gilead. We understand that the Durham & Charlotte management has made the Raleigh & Charlotte people an offer. In just what light this offer has been considered, we have not been informed. But one thing seems certain. Whatever railroad project from Charlotte to Norwood or Albemarle, or both, is advanced, must get the key held by the Mt. Gilead connection, already established, and needing only the crossing of the Yadkin and the hills. These have to be crossed in any event, and form an obstacle to be encountered by every railroad projected in that territory.—Charlotte Chronicle.

The Wilmington Star thinks that there should be huge merriment among New Englanders "at seeing a North Carolinian willing to pay the tariff tax on hundreds of New England products while raising cain to free New England from paying a tariff tax on just about one or two North Carolina products." It notes that the tariff tax principally in question is just seven per cent. For our part, we can hardly imagine anything in all our good old foolish Democratic party's history since the Civil War more absurd. We cannot but believe that most of the hubbub is inspired by special motives (its almost exclusive concentration upon Senator Simmons would alone indicate this) and meets with little real favor from the people of the State.

This thing of attacking the vote of North Carolina Congressmen for supporting an insignificant duty upon lumber would be sufficiently absurd even if the Denver platform had won at the polls, if the lumber schedule were in a Democratic and not in a standpat Republican tariff, if the State Democratic Executive Committee had taken no action, and if Colonel Bryan himself had never expressly repudiated—voted against—a national Democratic platform plank which a Democratic administration and a Democratic Congress were endeavoring to enact into law.—Charlotte Observer.

EXPLOSION VICTIMS BURIED.

Twenty-one Who Lost Lives at DuBois, Pa., Saturday.

DuBois, Pa., July 18.—The 21 victims of the explosion in the mine shaft of the Cascade Coal & Coke Company, at Sykesville last Saturday night, were buried today with the rites of their different religion and thousands from the various mining settlements in this section attended.

The State mine inspectors made their official examination of the mine today and will make their report to the coroner when the inquest is held.

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PULLMAN ROBBER SHOT.

Attempted to Get Away With Diamond—Gives Name of Morris.

Belle Plain, Ia., July 18.—As the result of the robbery of an occupant of a Pullman on eastbound Northwestern passenger train No. 8 at an early hour today a man who the train officials say had been stealing a ride on top of the train, lies in a local hospital with a serious bullet wound in his side. He gave his name as William Morris, and said his home was in Plainfield, N. J. The bullet wound is said to have been inflicted by a train brakeman.

When the train was between Tama and Belle Plain, W. J. Phillips, of Keene, N. H., discovered that he had been robbed of a diamond pin and a Panama hat. He called the train officials to his assistance and pointed out Morris, as the latter was trying to escape through a wash room window. In the struggle which followed Morris was shot. Phillips recovered his pin and hat.

New York, July 18.—The ten round bout scheduled here tonight between Joe Jeanette and Porky Flynn was called off today owing to an injury sustained by Flynn while training. A postponement of the fight until Tuesday was declared.

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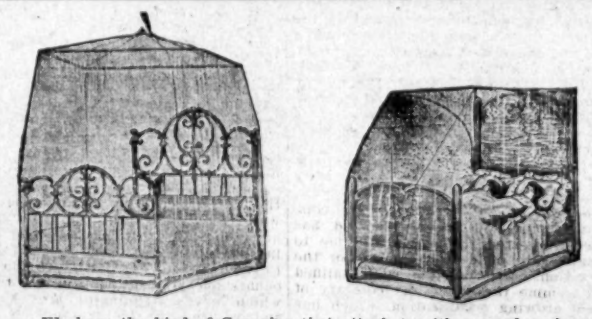

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LOCATION OF THE LIGHTSHIP

Special Meeting of Chamber to Hear Department Officials This Morning—Senator Overman Behind Movement.

Following a meeting of the Executive Committee yesterday afternoon, President Corbett, of the Chamber of Commerce, called a special meeting of the organization for this morning at 11 o'clock to meet Commissioner G. R. Putnam, of the Lighthouse Department, Washington, D. C., who with Commander Field, of the Sixth Lighthouse District, will give a hearing to the shipping interests here in regard to placing the new lightship on Frying Pan shoals.

Following a recent notice in "Notice to Mariners," stating that the present lightship would be removed and the new one, which it was believed was originally intended for the "Knuckle" would take its place, there was an expression of dissatisfaction from the shipping interests in general. It was the general opinion prior to the notice referred to that both light vessels would remain at this dangerous point on the coast, and considerable complaint has been made to the department recently. It is said to be preferable that the new lightship be placed at the "knuckle" if the department will permit only one at Frying Pan shoals and the present lightship be replaced by a gas buoy. Commissioner Putnam consented to hear the complaint of the shipping interests in regard to the matter and the Chamber of Commerce was so notified yesterday. The harbor master, Capt. Edgar D. Williams, who has taken considerable interest in the new lightship and is familiar with the proposed positions at Frying Pan Shoals, will be present with a number of others, connected with the shipping interests at the port.

Commissioner Putman consented to the hearing after a request from Senator Overman, and the following telegram was received from him yesterday:

"Washington, July 18.—Lighthouse Commissioner Geo. R. Putnam advised me this morning that he will leave Washington for Wilmington by rail tonight to confer with the members of the Chamber of Commerce and others interested in regard to locating the new lightship, which is now ready to be placed on the Knuckle. He expects to reach Wilmington about 9 o'clock. Commander Field, of the Sixth Lighthouse District, will meet the Commissioner in Wilmington. I hope all parties interested will appear before the Commissioner and acquaint him with the facts and insist that the new vessel be located at the most desirable and advantageous point."

The following telegram was received by the Star last night from its Washington correspondent:

Washington, D. C., July 18.—Secretary Nagel, of the Bureau of Commerce and Labor, notified Senator Overman today that he had directed Commissioner Putnam, of the Lighthouse Service, to go to Wilmington tonight, where he will hear the protest of the Chamber of Commerce and other interests against placing the new lightship about 20 miles from the North Carolina coast in the same place where the old lightship now stands. The Wilmington people want the new vessel located at the "Knuckle," one of the most dangerous points on the North Carolina coast, and where, for years, the lightship was anchored. H. E. C. B.

NEW SECRETARY ELECTED.

Lieut. O. F. Cooper Named for Position at Chamber of Commerce.

Lieut. O. F. Cooper, U. S. N., retired, was elected secretary of the Chamber of Commerce at a meeting of the Executive Committee at a meeting of the Executive Committee yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock. He was named to succeed Secretary J. A. McGeachy, who recently resigned to take a position with Messrs. Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Lieut. Cooper was chosen from among a number of applicants. The selection of the new secretary has been under consideration of the committee for several weeks and has been deferred from time to time to make sure of a capable man for the position. Mr. Cooper is well qualified to assume the duties of secretary of this growing organization, which has almost doubled in membership during the past year. Mr. McGeachy, the present secretary, severed his connection with the Chamber the first of August. Mr. Cooper has already arrived and will enter upon his new duties at once. He is a young man of splendid ability.

OPERATION POSTPONED.

Will Be Performed on Dr. Wells at Richmond Today—Condition.

Through a private letter received last night from Mr. Benj. Bell, Jr., news editor of the Richmond Times-Dispatch, it is learned that the operation which was to have been performed on the Rev. Dr. J. M. Wells, of this city, in a Richmond hospital, has been postponed until today. Dr. Wells' brother reached Richmond yesterday and is with him. Mr. Bell writes that Dr Wells is not considered in the least danger, which will be most welcome news and gratifying intelligence to his many friends here and throughout the State

The following special telegram was received from Richmond last night:

Richmond, Va., July 18.—On account of the absence of Dr. Willis, of the Johnston-Willis Sanitarium, from the city today, the operation on Dr. J. M. Wells, of Wilmington, set for this morning, was postponed until tomorrow morning.

Fell from Top of Shed.

Mr. C. W. Potter, a blacksmith, engaged in driving some rivets on one of the sheds of the new Seaboard Air Line warehouse being erected on the railroad yards in this city, fell from the structure yesterday afternoon about 5 o'clock, a distance of about 18 feet. He was painfully injured as he fell on some joists below, but pluckily returned to work soon after the accident. He resides at 119 Meares street.

Today at Polvogt's—$1.50 and $1.75 gowns and skirts for $1.00. **

FEVER IN RICHMOND.

Capital City of Virginia Has Many Cases of Typhoid.

In view of the recent very widespread and withal false reports relative to typhoid fever in Wilmington, which like all other places throughout the South has had more than the usual number of cases this Summer, the following from Sunday's Times-Dispatch, Richmond, Va., will be read with interest and as it substantiates the statement made in this paper some time ago and repeated several times since that fever is prevalent throughout this and other States to an unusual degree this year:

"Though few cases have developed in Richmond, many persons suffering with typhoid fever are undergoing treatment in local hospitals, having been brought here from various points in this and other States.

"Though six weeks ago there was not a single case of typhoid fever here, recently a few have developed. The authorities are using every method possible to prevent any spread of the disease.

"It is understood that there are between thirty and forty cases being treated in local hospitals. Those in charge of these institutions are constantly guarding the nurses for fear of contagion from handling patients.

"Advices received by the State Board of Health tell of a gradual development of typhoid throughout Virginia, and have already taken steps to investigate the source of infection. The City Health Department is also on the alert. Both have for the past few weeks been calling the attention of the public to means of preventing the spread.

"The type of disease appears to be mild, few fatalities having been reported thus far."

THE RECORDER'S COURT.

Negro Gets Two Years on Roads.—Other Cases.

In the Recorder's Court yesterday morning William Canaday, who faced three serious charges, received a total sentence of two years on the county roads. He was charged with the larceny of brass from a gas boat at the Seaboard docks a few nights ago, and also with an assault with a deadly weapon upon Arthur Hewitt, white. In addition to these, there was also a charge of carrying a concealed weapon. In the first charge he received a sentence of 12 months on the county roads and in the other two a sentence of six months in each. Kennedy took an appeal to the Superior court.

Fred Bennett, colored, was given 30 days on the county farm for being drunk and disorderly.

Dave Baldwin, colored, paid the costs for violating the driving ordinance.

In the case against George Kandau, a Greek, charged with assault, a nol pros with leave was taken.

Clyde Kenady, white, was taxed the costs for firing a pistol in the city limits.

Carl Anderson, white, charged with escaping from the county farm, was sent to the county roads for six months.

Charles Burnett, colored, received a sentence of $25 and costs for being a nuisance. The case came up from Justice Harriss' court.

For the larceny of a suit of clothes, Jno. Smith, colored, goes to the county roads for a period of 12 months.

Minnie McKoy and Hattie Marshall, both colored, were charged with disorderly conduct. The McKoy woman was fined $10 and costs and the other woman was taxed the costs.

POOR SERVICE ON W. & W.

Withdrawal of Parlor Car Has Congested Traffic in Day Coach.

Loud complaints come from traveling men and others of the poor passenger accommodations on Trains 48 and 49, on the Wilmington & Weldon branch of the Coast Line, since the recent removal of the parlor car from that train to the A. & Y. division. A gentleman returning from up the road yesterday stated that going up the W. & W. a day or two ago, only one white passenger coach was attached to the train and although he had paid first-class fare, he was forced to ride in the negro coach because there was no accommodations in the one coach alloted to white passengers. Formerly when the white travel was divided between the parlor car and the one coach, the accommodations were about adequate, but now they are pronounced disagreeably bad and intolerable. Steps have been taken to require the A. C. L. to provide adequate accommodations on this train which leaves Wilmington at 8 A. M. and returns in the evening. It is learned that Trains 90 and 91 recently extended to this city from Goldsboro is also enjoying a good passenger business and the railroad company should certainly provide the accommodations needed when not a great while ago it was set up that the travel on this road would not justify the additional) train.

JAR EXPLODES PISTOL.

Excursionist Dropped Coat and Gun Was Discharged.

R. D. Williams, who came to the city yesterday on an excursion, startled those in the neighborhood of Third and Princess streets about 5:15 in the afternoon when he dropped his coat to the sidewalk, the jar exploding a revolver in the pocket. Williams was carrying his coat over his shoulder when it slipped out of his hand and when it hit the paved sidewalk the revolver was discharged. Fortunately the bullet did not hit any one. Few of those who heard the shot could tell where it came from as the coat hid what smoke resulted.

Williams picked the garment up and started off, but Mounted Officer C. G. Jones rode up and arrested him. At the police station he gave $30 cash bond for his appearance before the Recorder this morning.

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STILL FLOCKING TO THE BEACH

Hundreds of Guests at the Two Hotels on Wrightsville Beach—Many Enjoy Fine Fishing and Bathing.

Although the week-end saw many guests leave Wrightsville Beach after spending a most delightful vacation there, it also saw fully as many more come in and the hotels are both still comfortably crowded. The high tide of the vacation season has now arrived and every train brings its quota of pleasure seekers to the famous North Carolina seashore resort.

That Wrightsville Beach is growing more popular as a resort each year is indicated by the fact that there are now as many, if not more, guests at the two hotels as there were last year this time, notwithstanding the many large conventions that brought hundreds of people to the beach last year. There have been only a few conventions this year and when this fact is taken into consideration it will be seen that more and more people are looking upon Wrightsville as the foremost resort in the South Atlantic States each year.

This fact is also borne out by the many familiar faces one can see at the beach—faces that are remembered from last year, or possibly from the past number of years. Many of these people have made Wrightsville Beach their playground for years, and each Summer sees them back once more to enjoy their annual period of recreation and pleasure.

Fishing continues exceptionally fine off the coast and many excellent catches are reported almost daily. Some of the fishermen and boatmen who have made the beach their home for many years state that they have never seen finer sport than is being had this season. In addition to this pleasurable recreation the sailing and boating parties are very popular and many guests spend some of the happiest hours of their stay at the beach on the delightful trips in one of the splendid sail boats or launches that the resort affords. Probably the most universally popular form of amusement and recreation, though, is the surf bathing and this season is no exception. Hundreds go in every evening and many arise at 6 o'clock in the morning for a dip by sunrise. The beach this year is well adapted to surf bathing, as there are no deep holes or dangerous spots that sometimes are found at seashore resorts.

Among the arrivals at the Oceanic Hotel recently are the following: W. P. Bear, Charlotte; Miss Lillian Davis, Jacksonville, Fla.; Mrs. T. C. Diggs, Richmond; Miss Lou Riley, Miss Margaret Jones, Sanford; Mrs. E. B. Phelps, Mrs. C. P. Warren, Mrs. Brooks, Richmond; W. P. Wilson, Goldsboro; C. A. Bunting, Jacksonville; Mrs. K. Nemyer, Miss J. Nemyer, New York; Miss Lula Spinks, Albemarle; Mrs. Alexander, Ashboro; H. B. Aron, Mt. Olive; K. O. Smith, Mt. Olive; R. R. Carlyle, J. P. Stephens, A. T. Parmele, Lumberton; Irving S. Thomas, Atlanta; State Senator Geo. Bellamy, Brunswick county; Miss Nell McLean, Miss Clara Armstrong, Elma McLean, Gastonia; B. T. Palmer, Rockingham; Miss Lula Pearson, Hendersonville, S. C.; L. O. Montgomery, Atlanta; Miss Agnes Harriss, Miss Anne Jacks, Atlanta; Miss Pattie Threadgille, Sylvania, Ga.; Mrs. Henry Weinstein, Mrs. Aaron Weinstein, Lumberton; Geo. W. Matthews, Atlanta; E. L. Huggins, Atlanta; J. L. Smith, C. T. Patch, Southern Pines; E. H. Goodman, Birmingham; Mrs. Frank Cooper, Charlotte; Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Green, Maxton.

At the Seashore the following are among the recent arrivals: Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Aycock, Fremont; Mrs. J. F. Walker, Miss Agnes Walker, Miss Gertrude Walker, Columbia; Miss Katie Montgomery, Mr. E. B. Utley, Auder Owens, Marion, S. C.; Mrs. A. H. Benning, Miss Raurie Benning, Masters B. and A. Benning, Atlanta; Dr. H. L. Hyatt, Kinston; Miss Hattie Choice, Miss Mary Choice, Spartanburg; Mrs. C. W. Warfield, Miss Thedora Warfield, Atlanta; J. D. Barnes, Wilson; Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Klutts, Greensboro; Iver Robinson, Fayetteville; J. F. Newton, Fayetteville; J. B. Johnstone, Mrs. J. B. Johnstone, Knox Johnstone, Mrs. J. K. Fornwalt, Mocksville; Miss Virginia Everett, Miss Jessie Burns, Miss Lon McRae, Miss Julia Pace, Miss Anna Dell Henderson, Miss Kate Southerland, all of Maxton; H. L. Cook, Jr., Fayetteville; W. D. Teavis, R. W. Jessup, Fayetteville; Miss Sallie P. Hines, Faison.

HIT BY A TRAIN.

A. C. L. Switchman Has Narrow Escape From Death.

While performing his duties as a switchman at the Atlantic Coast Line yards near Smith's creek bridge, Mr. A. L. Herring was painfully injured yesterday morning and it is almost a miracle, it is said, that he escaped with his life. Mr. Herring stepped to the ground to attend a switch his engine had just passed. In some manner his foot became fastened in the switch and he was struck by an engine approaching from an opposite direction. The engineer managed to decrease his speed only slightly and the pilot struck Mr. Herring, throwing him from the track into the ditch alongside.

Mr. Herring was rushed to the city where his wounds were attended by a physician. They consisted only of a number of bruises and lacerations, no bones being broken. It was learned last night that Mr. Herring was resting very well and that he would soon be out, provided no internal injuries develop.

Telephone Directory.

In printing the new issue of the Wilmington Directory of the Southern Bell Telephone & Telegraph Co., telephone No. 68, main office and factory of the Independent Ice Company, was omitted through error. This telephone is still in use, and subscribers are requested to insert this name in their directories, so as to insure getting the Independent Ice Company's office when called for. Independent Ice Company, factory, 7th and Brunswick, No. 68.

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COW ORDINANCE DISCUSSED

Was the Principal Matter Before the Council Yesterday Afternoon—Action Postponed—Other Matters.

A petition of upwards of one thousand citizens asking that the cow ordinance be modified so as to place it under the same rule and regulations and subject to the same restrictions as the horse stable ordinance, was the principal matter before the City Council in regular weekly session yesterday afternoon. After a pretty full and and at times somewhat spirited discussion action was deferred until next Tuesday afternoon. It is not at all improbable that the ordinance will undergo some changes to meet the wishes of the large number of petitioneres for two members of the Council wanted to make favorable action yesterday afternoon.

The meeting was called to order a few minutes after 4 o'clock by Mayor Joseph D. Smith, who presided, and in attendance were all members of the Council; also Capt. Thos. D. Meares, city clerk and treasurer; Dr. Chas. T. Nesbitt, city superintendent of health; City Attorney Herbert McClammy, Assistant City Attorney Geo. L. Peschau, Messrs. W. L. West, B. A. Merritt, H. B. Peschau, E. C. Craft, Dr. Thos. B. Carroll, Capt. W. P. Oldham, Constable W. B. Savage, Woodus Kellum, Esq., W. H. Northrop and others, the visitors, for the most part, being present to take part in the discussion relative to the cow ordinance. After the reading and approval of the minutes of the several meetings since last Tuesday, a petition was read from about 20 owners of hogs asking that the hog ordinance, which banished all swine from the city limits after August 1st, not be effective until cool weather in order that the hogs now on hand may be disposed of to better advantage. Councilman Tiencken moved that the ordinance be not effective until November 15th, instead of August 1st, and it received a second from Councilman Perdew. Councilman P. Q. Moore expressed the opinion that the ordinance will work a hardship in that it does not give the owners time in which to dispose of their property. Councilman B. C. Moore considered the Summer time the proper season in which to move hogs from the city, and when he let his views be known Councilman Perdew stated that inasmuch as this is a matter in Mr. Moore's department he would be willing to do whatever he recommended. Dr. Chas. T. Nesbitt having been called upon for an expression as to the advisability of extending the time, said that no matter what time of year the ordinance is effective, there would be petitions and appeals to Council to not change the ordinance. He spoke of health conditions generally in Wilmington and discussed the relations of the hog and cows to these conditions and declared that both are disease breeders, particularly in Wilmington. He stated that there had been more complaints from the cow stables since he had been in office than from any other source.

Rev. Dr. White, pastor of St. Luke's Church, colored, was before the Council in behalf of the people of his church. He said that his congregation requested that he appear and state that the enforcement of the ordinance on August 1st would work a hardship on them as they would have to sacrifice their hogs at this season of the year. However, after hearing Dr. Nesbit talk on the matter three or four times he had been convinced that it is best to get rid of the hogs now and not wait until later, therfore, instead of asking for an extension of time he would say let the ordinance be enforced from and after August 1st. Councilman Perdew withdrew his second to the motion and no action was taken.

A petition was read from the people living along the suburban line and at Wrightsville Beach asking that the Council grant the Tidewater Power Co. the right to put down a side track on the north side of Orange, between Water and Front streets, which would facilitate the handling of ice from the depot of the Central Ice Co., at the foot of Orange street to the consumers along the beach line and make it possible to have the ice delivered at the same price that is paid in the city. The petition was signed by 50 or 60 persons. Mayor Smith stated that he thought it the sense of the Council that the city had anything in the way of franchise that it should be sold instead of given away. Mr. H. B. Peschau, manager of the ice company, asked if the Council had set a price on the franchise for the side track and the Mayor replied that this phase had not been considered. Councilman P. Q. Moore did not see any objection to the granting of the franchise. He was away when the request was refused at a meeting some weeks ago, when the city attorney advised that the franchise could not be granted. Mr. Moore said that he would have voted to grant the franchise had he been here. City Attorney McClammy read a long opinion of the Supreme Court involving a similar point and he said that under this opinion the Council did not have the right to grant the franchise. Councilman P. Q. Moore said that he had the highest regard for the Supreme Court, but that if such an opinion was to govern that one might as well build a wall around the city of Wilmington for never would it get any manufacturing enterprises if sidetracks could not be laid to the plant from the main tracks. Councilman B. C. Moore favored the granting of the franchise, but said that if it was unlawful then it could not be done. The city attorney suggested that if the Tidewater Power Co., would make application in proper form for the privilege of extending its line down the street, not for a franchise to lay a sidetrack in order to benefit a particular concern, then the right could be granted by the Council under the charter of the Tidewater Power Company. Later on in the meeting Mr. A. B. Skelding, general manager of the Tidewater Power Co., was present and he stated that the original application was in writing and made by the company, but that the form of the application would be changed in accordance with the suggestion and again presented.

At this juncture the Mayor had the clerk to read a telegram he had just received from Senator Lee S. Overman advising of a visit today of Lighthouse Commissioner Geo. R. Putnam, mention of which is made in another column.

Again referring to the side track matter, Councilman P. Q. Moore called the attention of the Mayor to the fact that the executive or some one allows freight cars to stand at the intersection of Front and Princess streets and yet refuse to grant the privilege asked for on Orange street, far removed from the congested traffic center. Assistant City Attorney Peschau said that the last Board of Aldermen repealed all laws prohibiting cars to stand on tracks with the exception of street intersections. Councilman B. C. Moore stated that if such were the case then the Council had better adopt some new ordinances for his department, the police department, had not allowed the Coast Line to keep cars standing on the line on Water street over night, and also that the Tidewater Power Co., had been notified not to use all three tracks on Princess, between Front and Second street, at the same time.

City Attorney McClammy observed that the company has no right to have a third track on this street, and Mayor Smith said he did not think it ought to be there.

Cow Ordinance Considered.

Next to claim the attention of the body is the cow ordinance, which is effective next Tuesday, July 25th, and which makes it unlawful to keep more than one cow on any lot or premises within a certain territory; also makes it unlawful to keep a cow stable anywhere in the city within a radius of 50 feet of any dwelling house, and has certain requirements as to the stables. The matter came up on petition of a large number of citizens, seven hundred and forty-six, to be exact, who desire that the cow be put on a parity with the horse in the matter of the number which may be kept on the premises within the territory set forth in the measure and also as to the distance from any residence. Mr. E. C. Craft said that if the number of names is not sufficient those interested could get as many more as they had worked only about three days in getting the 746. The following is the preamble:

"To the Honorable Council of the City of Wilmington:

"We, the undersigned citizens and legal voters of the City of Wilmington, do hereby respectfully petition and request your honorable body to amend the ordinance recently passed by you in reference to the keeping of cows in the city of Wilmington as follows:

"'Provide that all cows may be kept in the city of Wilmington under the same rules and regulations and subject to the same restrictions as horses.

"Provide that all manure piles be screened and all stables and cow lots be kept in a sanitary condition and be inspected at proper intervals by the regular health authorities of the city. Under the present ordinance a large number of people who now keep cows will be prevented from doing so on account of the small dimensions of their lot and exacting restrictions of the cow.

"We believe that if the above provisions are made that the health of this community will not suffer from the keeping of cows in the corporate limits, and the same will provide a source of milk which will be under the direct supervision of the health authorities of the city."

City Attorney McClammy read the law relative to calling an election in case the Council refused to take favorable action, after which he said that the petition would have to be given to the city clerk and treasurer and let him ascertain whether or not the signatures are those of qualified electors. He also stated that under the law that in order to secure an election on the matter 35 per cent. of the vote cast for both ex-Mayor Walter G. MacRae and Mr. Martin O'Brien for Mayor two years ago.

Mr. Craft remarked that the petitioners did not desire to go so far as to have an election on the question, although confident it would be carried in the affirmative, but would prefer to have it settled in a most peaceable manner by the Council. He said that the physicians with whom he had talked stated that they did not consider it necessary to to health of the city to move the cows out of the city. He also quoted Dr. W. S. Rankin, secretary of the State Board of Health, as saying that he did not see the necessity or running the cows out.

City Attorney McClammy, after reading further of the commission bill, observed that it would be necessary for the petitioners to give their age and street address, also make a statement as to whether they have paid their poll tax. Mr. Craft replied that he did not know this was necessary, but that certain the provisions could be complied with and that double the number of names could be secured in a little while.

Mr. Harry Walsh cited instances where persons had lived by cows all their lives and had no sickness and called upon the Council to name any instances it could where cows were responsible for sickness. In reply to this Dr. Nesbitt said that he could not name any specific instance, but it is so according to scientific tests, and that in Richmond, Va., a few years ago an examination was made of cows in the city limits and it was found that 75 per cent. of the number had tuberculosis. He said that as soon as he gets time, probably within 30 or 60 days, he will make an examination by tuberculin tests of the cows in Wilmington, about 500 in number, and if they are found to have tuberculosis they would be condemned and could not be sold for beef nor could the milk be used.

Capt. W. P. Oldham made a few remarks in which he spoke principally of his own cow stable and how nearly perfect it is from a sanitary standpoint. Constable W. B. Savage said he did not fancy the idea of discrimination as is shown in the cow ordinance. He could not see why a person living on the north side of Castle street could not keep as many cows as the one on the south side.

Mr. O. H. Kennedy said that he was not present asking any extension of time, but he desired the body to say whether or not the ordinance is to be enforced and not wait until next week to take action.

Councilman P. Q. Moore moved that the law governing cows be the same as the rules and regulations relative to horses and it received a second by Councilman Tiencken. Dr. Nesbitt stated that he desired to go on record and immovably opposed to any change in the ordinance. He remarked that if the cow had so many friends it looked as if there would have been more than five or six people before the board in her behalf.

Councilman Tiencken remarked that he could not see that a cow is worse than a horse.

Dr. Nesbitt replied that the horse did not have tuberculosis.

Councilman Tiencken stated in reply that a physician is paid to make examination to see whether or not the cows have tuberculosis. He stated further that he is against an election for two reasons—on account of the cost and also the strife that invariably comes with an election. He said that if it is necessary to get the cow out of the city, it should be done by degrees rather than to attempt to revolutionize everything at once. The people must be educated to the danger in keeping cows, he said, as well in all other matters, if there is any danger. Councilman Perdew moved as an amendment that the matter be deferred until the next regular meeting, which is Tuesday, the day the ordinance becomes effective. Those who appeared to have the ordinance modified received the impression that the law is not to be enforced Tuesday morning as they are to be given further hearing Tuesday afternoon. In fact, they stated that they have no fear of an attempt being made to en-

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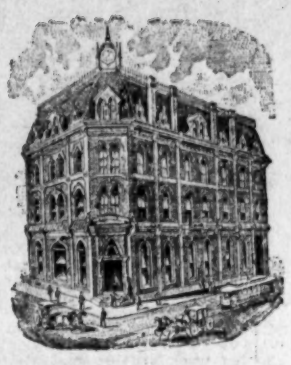

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SOCIETY

Miss Sarah P. Hines and Miss Sulu Hicks, of Falson, are visiting Mrs. P. Heinsberger, Jr.

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Mrs. A. L. Freeman, of Wilmington, is visiting friends and relatives at Ivanhoe, N. C.

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Miss Brent Blackmer, of Salisbury, is the attractive guest of Mrs. Gabriel Holmes, No. 18 North Third street.

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Messrs. John and Clifton Blue, of Aberdeen, spent yesterday at Wrightsville Beach, returning last evening.

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Miss Josephine Thomas, of Waynesville, N. C., is the guest of her cousin, Miss Louise Bunting, on Market street.

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Yesterday's Raleigh News and Observer: "Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Bland have gone to Wrightsville Beach on a visit."

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Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Kimball, of Raleigh, have returned home after a visit to Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Belvin, at their home at Carolina Place.

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Friends of Mr. L. J. Merriman will regret to know that he is confined to his home on Church street with a malignant case of malarial fever.

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Mr. Clarence Smith and Mrs Thos. C. Diggs and little son, of Richmond, Va., are spending some time at Wrightsville Beach, guests at The Oceanic Hotel.

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Clarence Smith, formerly of Wilmington, but now of Richmond, Va., are at Wrightsville Beach to spend some time, and have been most pleasantly greeted by friends here.

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Mr. and Mrs. A. Shrier and daughter, Mrs. Albert Solomon, left yesterday for the mountains of Western North Carolina where they will spend the remainder of the Summer.

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An important meeting of Cape Fear Chapter, Daughters of the Confederacy, will be held this morning at the W. L. I. armory. All members are requested to be in attendance.

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The many friends of Mr. Henry J. Gerken were delighted to see him in the city yesterday. He is now traveling for the National Cash Register Co., and has headquarters in Raleigh.

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Yesterday's Raleigh News and Observer says: "Senator and Mrs. H. M. London and little son, Master H. M., Jr., of Pittsboro, were in the city yesterday, going to Wrightsville."

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Miss Bertha Peterson, of Atkinson, N. C., returned to her home Monday after spending several days at Wrightsville Beach with her brother, Mr. R. T. Peterson, who is spending the Summer there.

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Charlotte Chronicle: "Mrs. M. M. Murphy, who has been a guest at the Oceanic Hotel at Wrightsville Beach for the past two weeks, will remain another week. Mr. Murphy spent the week-end with Mrs. Murphy."

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Yesterday's Raleigh News and Observer: "Mrs. Edward E. Britton and her sister, Mrs. Gilbert A. Ottmann, of Tulsa, Okla., have returned from Wrightsville Beach, where with Mrs. H. R. Donaldson, of Atlanta, Ga., they have spent the past ten days."

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Mrs. Fannie Powell, Miss Ruth Evans, Miss May Evans, Miss Georgie Thomas, Mr. Arthur Evans, of Waynesboro, Ga., and Miss Jennie Riley, of Macon, Ga., who have been guests at the Seashore, Wrightsville Beach, for some days, have returned home.

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Complimentary to Dr. and Mrs. W. C. Jarnigan, of Atlanta, Mayor Thos. H. Wright, of Wrightsville Beach, Monday evening gave a party in the lofty tower of the Oceanic Hotel. Twenty or more guests were entertained by the chief executive of the beach and all voted the host an altogether agreeable one in every respect.

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Yesterday afternoon's Charlotte Chronicle: "Miss Emily Holt will arrive home Monday night from Wrightsville Beach, where she has been for the past five weeks at the Seashore Hotel. Miss Holt was chaperoned by Mrs. Robert Bellamy, of Wilmington. At present Miss Holt is the guest of Miss Alma Maxwell at her home in Craighead Park."

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On account of unfavorable weather the searchlight excursion on the steamer Wilmington by the Girls' Friendly Society last Friday night was postponed. The steamer has been secured for the excursion for Friday night of this week and a large attendance is expected. Tickets sold for the moonlight party will be good for the searchlight excursion and a delightful time is assured. Refreshments will be served and there will be other attractive features.

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Among the Wilmington delegation which attended the Elks' reunion at Atlantic City, a number have continued their sojourn in the North for a few days longer. Among the number are Mr. and Mrs. Percy Wells, who are with relatives in Atlantic City; Mr. B. P. Strickland, who joined Mrs. Strickland in Richmond, Va.; Messrs. Joe Franks and Dan Costin, who went further North for a few days' sojourn, and Mr. Adolph Rosemann, who went to New York on a business trip.

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Rocky Mount, N. C., July 18.—Miss Ada Sherin, of the faculty of Meredith College at Raleigh, starting today, is the hostess at a house party given to about a dozen friends at the elegant country home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Sherin, about two miles from the city, in Nash county. The young ladies who have already arrived, are Misses Christine Gowan, of Clayton; Sallie Oldham, of Wilmington; Ione Gulley, of Clayton; Pauline Bridgers, of Winona, and Kittie Poole, of Clayton. The country home is an ideal place for the ten days' pleasure and the young ladies will greatly enjoy, no doubt, the hospitable reception that will be accorded at the home named as well as by the many friends of Miss Sherin.

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Yesterday's Charlotte Chronicle: "Miss Hannah Constable will entertain at her home on North Church street this afternoon at 6 o'clock in honor of her house guests, Miss Karin Bailey, of Wilmington, and Miss Margaret Broadfoot, of Fayetteville.—Miss Karin Bailey, of Wilmington, and Miss Margaret Broadfoot, of Fayetteville, who are visiting Miss Hannah Constable, were the guests of an enojyable sewing party given this morning by Miss Mary Morgan Myers at her home on East avenue at 10:30 o'clock. In a hemstitching contest Miss Lillian Reid won the prize for the neatest work. Misses Broadfoot and Bailey were given the guest of honor prizes. During the morning punch was served and afterwards orange ice in cantaloupes. The party was one of the most pleasant of the season."

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A delightful entertainment was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Payne, No. 424 South Fifth street, last evening in honor of their sister, Miss Margaret Payne, of Winston-Salem. Dainty refreshments were served after which the guests were ushered into an improvised forest, under which they feasted upon watermelon. Many interesting games were indulged in during the evening and the guests departed at a late hour, declaring Mrs. Payne a very charming hostess.

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INTER-FRATERNITY CLUB WILL BE ORGANIZED HERE

A movement has been started for the formation of an Inter-Fraternity Club in Wilmington, the members of which will be members of the National Greek letter fraternities from colleges throughout the country who are at present residing in Wilmington. The object of the club is to give members an opportunity of keeping in touch with the Greek letter world and also to hold a number of social gatherings during the coming Winter.

The Inter-Fraternity Clubs are now a feature in every town where there are college men and have done a great deal towards renewing the memories of days spent on the campus and in the dormitory. Any fraternity man interested in furthering this movement may communicate with George P. Russell, No. 419 Walnut street.

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Miss Birdie Miles charmingly entertained a number of her friends last night at a delightful porch party at her home, No. 401 South Sixth street. Miss Miles will leave Saturday of this week for Lebanon and Louisville, Ky., where she will visit relatives for a few days, after which she will go to Clinton, Ia., where she will enter Mount Saint Clare Conservatory of Music, and the event last night was in the nature of a farewell party. There were present eight couples and the occasion was one long to be remembered by all as one of the most delightful affairs of the kind they ever attended. The porch was appropriately decorated and following the guessing contest, "Puns on Anatomy" in which prizes were awarded, and other interesting games, refreshments were served. It was a most pleasurable event and all voted Miss Miles a most charming hostess and all expressed that the greatest success may attend her studies in far away Iowa.

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SOCIAL GATHERING AT ROOMS OF Y. M. C. A.

A most delightful social gathering was held in the parlors of the Y. M. C. A. building Monday night under the auspices of the Junior Council, a recently formed organization in the association life. A number of friends of the Council were present and the evening was spent very pleasantly. Several enjoyable musical selections and readings were rendered all receiving well-merited applause. Entertaining games were also played and were thoroughly enjoyed by the young people. The programme rendered was as follows: Instrumental duet (violin and mandolin), by Misses McDougall and LaNier, accompanied by Miss Lupo; piano solo, by Miss Williams; reading, by Miss Houston; piano solo, by Miss Katie Foard; talk and character sketch, by Rev. Dr. A. D. McClure; reading, by Miss Gracie Craig; piano solo, by Miss Williams; reading, by Miss McDougall; instrumental duet (violin and mandolin), by Misses McDougall and LaNier, accompanied by Miss Lupo. Fruit punch was served, the punch bowl being gracefully presided over by Miss Katie Foard.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Capt. John H. Sharp, of Atlanta, Ga., was a visitor to the city yesterday.

—Mr. H. Overstreet, of Burgaw, spent yesterday in the city, a guest at The Orton.

—Hon. O. L. Clark, of Clarkton, spent yesterday in the city, returning to his home this morning.

—Mr. Geo. H. Currie, of Clarkton, spent last night in the city on his way to Southport on a business trip.

—Mr. S. Abramowitz left last night for New York, where he will spend about ten days on a business trip.

—Envoy A. W. Ryan, of the Salvation Army, is now on his fifth visit to Wilmington, and will spend some time here assisting the local post.

—Among yesterday's arrivals at The Orton were Geo. H. Nash, Durham; R. J. Alderman, Alcolu, S. C., and Dr. L. B. Evans, Clarkton.

—The many Wilmington friends of Capt. Landon C. Jones, of Florence, were delighted to see him in the city yesterday. He was a guest at The Orton.

—Mr. and Mrs. Chas. H. Gattis and daughter, of Georgia, are guests at Wrightsville Beach for a few days. Mr. Gattis is pleasantly remembered in Wilmington as formerly traveling passenger agent for the Seaboard Air Line and is now general passenger agent for one of the Georgia railway lines.

WARRENTON VOTES WET.

Majority of Eleven for Liquor in a Small Virginia Town.

Warrenton, Va., July 18.—At a special election today the voters of this town by a majority of eleven decided that it should be "wet." The vote was 105 to 94. There was no disturbance of any kind.

RECEIVER FOR MR. W. E. WORTH.

Marsden Bellamy, Esq., Appointed by Judge H. G. Connor.

Following the supplemental proceedings before John D. Bellamy, Jr., Esq., in the case of the Knickerbocker Trust Co. against Wm. E. Worth, an action to ascertain what property and money he has, if any, in order to satisfy a judgment obtained in the United States Court by the plaintiff, of approximately $30,000, Judge H. G. Connor, of the United States Court, has appointed Marsden Bellamy, Esq., a leading member of the local bar, receiver for Mr. Worth. Mr. Bellamy qualified yesterday morning and gave the required bond of $1,000. The fact that a receiver was appointed by the court is taken as an indication that the evidence at the supplemental proceedings disclosed the fact that Mr. Worth has some property or has some rights in property against which suit can be brought. The receiver is directed to take charge of any property which he may find belonging to and in the possession of Mr. Worth, and will be a party to any suit pending or which may hereafter be brought, or, in other words, he is directed to perform all the usual functions of a receiver. The appointment of a receiver does not affect the sale on August 7th of certain property and stocks and bonds recently levied upon by Deputy United States Marshal Sharp, upon execution. The judgment against Mr. Worth was obtained at the last term of United States Court here, and is the amount he is alleged to be due for subscription to stock in the Rockingham Power Company, which was financed by the Knickerbocker Trust Co., the plaintiff in the present action.

LARGE ATTENDANCE EXPECTED.

For Reunion of the Confederate Veterans Next Month.

From the following letter which will be mailed to the various camps of the United Confederate Veterans in this State and which State papers are asked to copy, it can be seen that the local camp is expecting one of the largest crowds that has ever attended a reunion in the State. The reunion will be held in this city August 2nd and 3rd and the members of Cape Fear Camp, No. 254, are busy arranging the final details for the entertainment of the visiting veterans and their families, preparing the programme, etc.

Adjutant Leon has already received notification from 700 veterans who will be in attendance, and judging from this there will likely be fully 1,500 of the "boys in gray" who will attend the reunion in the city by the Sea.

The letter which Adjutant Leon will send to the various commands throughout the State is as follows:

"To the Confederate Camps of North Carolina:

"Comrades:—From present indications the reunion to be held in this city, August 2nd and 3rd, will be one of the biggest reunions of our old comrades that has ever been held in the Old North State.

"Therefore, in order to expedite the recording of all veterans, for themselves as well as this camp, we hope that all lodges that attend will have a list of their commands ready to give us in order that we may distribute badges, etc.

"Do this and it will save hours of unnecessary delay.

"L. LEON, Chairman."

CASE NOW BEING TRIED.

Charge Against Gauze and Tisdal Being Investigated at Burgaw.

Deputy Sheriff Harvey Cox and Dr. C. D. Bell, coroner of New Hanover county, returned last night from Burgaw, where they went to attend Pender Superior Court and appear as witnesses in the case against Dick Gauze and J. E. Tisdal, colored, the former charged with the murder of Ned Gibson, colored, and the latter with being an accessory, in this city some months ago, the case having been removed to that county on affidavit of the solicitor that it is impossible to get a just verdict in a capital case in this county.

The trial of the case was not entered into until yesterday afternoon. It required only about a half an hour to select a jury. Dr. Bell testified as to the nature of the wound which caused the death of Gibson. Viola Sterling, colored, an eye-witness to the tragedy, was the next witness. Her testimony is considered highly important to the case. There is also another negress, Fannie MacRae, who witnessed the shooting. She is at Burgaw to give testimony in the case. Both Gauze and Tisdal are being tried at the same time, according to information received here. Deputy Sheriff Cox was summoned as a witness in the case, but it developed yesterday that it is Mr. A. E. Mund who arrested Gauze, as a police officer, and Jailer J. M. Branch, whom the solicitor desired to have testify, instead of Mr. Cox. There are a number of other witnesses in the case.

TWO EXCURSIONS YESTERDAY

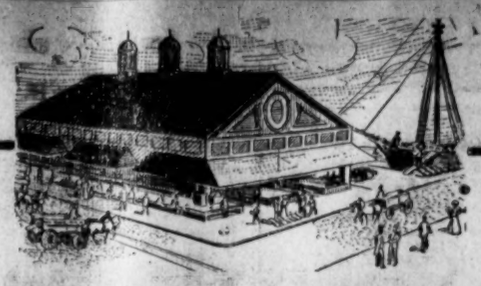
One Over S. A. L. and One Over A. C. L.—About 500 Visitors.

Two excursions arrived in the city yesterday, one from towns between Roseboro and Sanford on the A. and Y. division of the Atlantic Coast Line and the other over the Seaboard from Charlotte and intermediate points. The total number of excursionists arriving on the two trains was about 500. The Seaboard train arrived about 10 o'clock in the morning and was followed by the A. C. L. excursion 50 minutes later. Most of the visitors took suburban cars for Wrightsville Beach, spending a pleasant day at the popular resort. The Coast Line excursion left on the schedule of the regular 6:30 o'clock train yesterday evening and the S. A. L. train left at 8 P. M.

Real Estate Transfers.

Deeds were filed for record yesterday as follows: Oscar M. Fillyaw to Metthew J. Heyer, for $10 and other considerations, tract of land in Cape Fear township, on west side of A. C. L. (formerly the Wilmington and Weldon) tracks, containing 22 1-2 acres; C. C. Chadbourn, executor of last will and testament of Mary Ann Chadbourn, to W. M. Cumming, for $800 and other considerations, lot on Church street, 36 feet east from Sixth, 18 feet and four inches by 66 feet in size.

$1.00 today will buy ladies' $1.50 and $1.75 gowns at Poivogt's. **



Where French Market Coffee Won Its Fame

Over 150 years ago the old French Market at New Orleans won fame through its exquisite coffee. It was a rare treat to stop at this celebrated market and sip of the delicious beverage—the only place in America where it could be secured.

The society dames of all the Mardi Gras Balls would not consider the event complete without a cup of French Market Coffee as a "nightcap."

In the War of 1812, after Andrew Jackson's brilliant victory, he stopped at the Market House and treated his troops to French Market Coffee.

Then it could be had nowhere else. **But today you may all serve it at your table**—for the old French Market blend is perpetuated by

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Today, at every afternoon and every night performance, the popular Bijou makes the biggest offering it has ever made, in presenting for the pleasure and enlightenment of the people of Wilmington the wonderful Essanay film of the Indianapolis automobile meet, in which Harroun, in a Marmon car, was the victor. The film is a thriller from start to finish, and will, no doubt, be viewed by Wilmington's entire past automobile contingent. It was a piece of enterprise in the Bijou getting this film and it will make the offering without advancing its tiny price of admission one cent.

The race covered 500 miles, and the film includes every important incident, even the many accidents and showing Harroun's dare-devil, lightning finish.

Twelve cameras were used in the making of the pictures and they cover nearly every portion of the track, which is circular and of about a mile in diameter, with 200 laps to the 500 miles.

The first picture gives views of the grandstands and scenes about the track, showing parts of the crowd, 100,000 strong, who viewed the race. Then "Bob" Burman in his famous Blitzen Benz is shown being crowned Speed King shortly after he broke the mile record in 35:35. Then before the grandstand we see the drivers and the cars entered for the long race, also closer views of the same. Then we see these cars lined up at the tape ready to start. The start on the preliminary lap, accompanied by the president of the speedway. After that the start of the real race and the dash down the home stretch.

BOARD OF EQUALIZATION

Another Meeting Yesterday Afternoon and Still Another Today.

The Board of Equalization was in session again yesterday afternoon at the Court House with Chriaman Duncan McEachern presiding and Commissioners Vollers, Kerr, Divine and Metts and County Assessor Thos. F. Bagley in attendance, for the purpose of considering further requests for reductions in the assessment of property. The work of the body has not yet been completed and another session will be held this afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Hon. John D. Bellamy appeared before the board and complained of what he termed the unequal valuation put upon property on Wrightsville Beach. No action was taken by the board. The assessment of J. E. and E. G. Hall at Winter Park was changed from $700 to $550, and that of J. E. Hall to $1,000. Property of Fanny Blount, in block 229, was reduced from $650 to $300, the difference being assessed against Joseph Fergus. The valuation of property of Mrs. E. Vollers, in Harnett township, was reduced from $3,000 to $1,050; house and lot of Miss Martha Ellis, on Greenville Sound, from $1,000 to $250; lot of Sheriff S. P. Cowan, in Harnett township, from $500 to $200; lot of Mrs. Annie C. Branch, at Carolina Place, from $200 to $125, while the assessment of 36 acres of land in Masonboro township, owned by J. Edwin Bunting, was increased from $1,800 to $2,000 and property of Edwin Metts, on Greenville Sound, was assesed at $2,000.

NEAR DROWNING AT BEACH

One Young Man Saves Another's Life in Surf at Wrightsville.

A drowning was narrowly averted yesterday afternoon off Wrightsville Beach, almost in front of the Atlantic Yacht Club. The name of the young man who came near being the victim was not learned last night, neither the name of his rescuer. However, it is said that they are both from Atlanta, and that they were stopping at one of the cottages on the beach. The young man was in the surf with a party of friends, when his strength became exhausted and he was being carried out by the undertow. Two of his comrades swam to him but he caught hold of them and pulled them under water.

Another young man was out on the sand sunning and heard the cries. He plunged in and swam to the boy, who was being carried out to sea. Taking him upon his back he swam to the beach and the exhausted boy was resusciated. The rescuer was warmly congratulated by those who witnessed his splendid feat.

WOMAN ESCAPES OPERATION

Was Cured by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

Elwood, Ind.—"Your remedies have cured me and I have only taken six bottles of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I was sick three months and could not walk. I suffered all the time. The doctors said I could not get well without an operation, for I could hardly stand the pains in my sides, especially my right one, and down my right leg. I began to feel better when I had taken only one bottle of Compound, but kept on as I was afraid to stop too soon."—Mrs. SADIE MULLEN, 2728 N. B. St., Elwood, Ind.

Why will women take chances with an operation or drag out a sickly, half-hearted existence, missing three-fourths of the joy of living, when they can find health in Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound?

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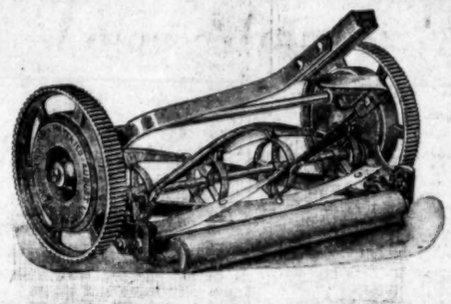

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Financial and Commercial

EXTREMELY ACTIVE IN COTTON

Sensational Break Occurred in Prices With Net Loss of 27 to 41 Points. Excited Market Throughout Day.

New York, July 18.—There was an extremely active and excited market for cotton today, and a sensational break occurred in prices with August contracts selling as low as 13.22, and December down to 12.17, for from $1.50 to $2.65 per bale below the closing figures of the previous day under general liquidation, accompanied by rumors that the old bull leaders were unloading. A somewhat steadier tone developed in the late trading and August closed about twelve points up from the lowest, but while covering was active new crop deliveries showed rallies of only four to five points, with the final tone steady and with last prices showing net losses of from 27 to 41 points.

The market opened weak at a decline of 25@29 points under general selling, inspired by weak cables, private advices from Liverpool, claiming that the big bulls there were unloading, the continued unfavorable reports from the dry goods district and reports of further rains in the Southwest. A rally of from 10 to 12 points followed the initial decline on profit taking by shorts, trade buying which seemed to reflect the expectation of resting orders and buying for a reaction, but long cotton continued to come on the market; the South was a heavy seller and the market developed renewed weakness before midday, with August selling off to a net loss of 53 points, while other positions sold about 30 to 34 points net lower, with July at 13.70, showing a decline of about 240 points from the high record of the season, while December at 12.17 was about 160 points under the recent high level. Offerings became a little less urgent around these figures and the market was less active during the afternoon, but every little rally seemed to bring out increased offering and closing prices showed only slight recoveries, while local sentiment continued bearish in spite of some spot house buying, rumors that the bull interest had been practically liquidated and the sensational extent of the recent decline. The weekly report of the Weather Bureau proved quiet as favorable as expected and the day's break seemed to reflect increased confidence in a big crop, with the approaching of the picking season.

Receipts today, 300 bales, against 1,047 last week, and 14,029 last year. Today's receipts at New Orleans, 208 bales, against 2,674 last year. Spot closed quiet, 25 points lower; middling uplands, 14.00; middling gulf, 14.25; sales, 200 bales.

Futures opened weak and closed steady.

Month:	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
July	13.85	13.85	13.65	13.71
August	13.55	13.55	13.22	13.24
September	12.51	12.62	12.40	12.45
October	12.40	12.40	12.22	12.25
November	12.18	12.18	12.21	
December	12.30	12.37	12.17	12.22
January	12.23	12.31	12.13	12.19
February	12.21	12.21	12.21	12.19
March	12.27	12.37	12.21	12.25
April	12.27	12.27	12.—	12.25
May	12.37	12.46	12.30	12.35

THE PORT MOVEMENT.

Galveston—Quiet, 14⅜; net receipts, 27; gross receipts, 27; sales, 50; stock, 7,026.

New Orleans—Quiet, 14½; net receipts, 208; gross receipts, 208; sales, 145; stock, 31,442; Great Britain, 2,160.

Mobile—Nominal, 14⅝; stock, 664; coastwise, 29.

Savannah—Quiet, 14⅜; net receipts, 2; gross receipts, 2; stock, 15,909; coastwise, 237.

Charleston—Nominal; stock, 4,533.

Wilmington—Nominal; net receipts, 1; gross receipts, 1; stock, 339.

Norfolk—Quiet, 14¾; net receipts, 37; gross receipts, 37; stock, 3,550; coastwise, 222.

Baltimore—Nominal, 14½; stock, 1,527.

New York—Quiet, 14.60; gross receipts, 775; sales, 200; stock, 94,193; coastwise, 1,461.

Boston—Quiet, 14.60; net receipts, 25; gross receipts, 455; stock, 8,716.

Philadelphia—Quiet, 14.25; stock, 1,274.

Total today at all ports—Net, 300; Great Britain, 2,160; stock, 169,175.

Consolidated, at all ports—Net, 1,134; Great Britain, 5,555; France, 500; continent, 3,075.

Total since Sept. 1, at all ports—Net, 8,464,384; Great Britain, 3,256,822; France, 900,067; continent, 3,026,395; Japan, 148,966; Mexico, 2,075.

INTERIOR MOVEMENT.

Houston—Steady, 14¼; net receipts, 275; gross receipts, 275; shipments, 591; stock, 10,301.

Augusta—Quiet, 15¼; net receipts, 39; gross receipts, 39; shipments, 91; sales, 16; stock, 4,167.

Memphis—Steady, 14½; net receipts, 27; gross receipts, 27; shipments, 92; sales, 75; stock, 25,478.

St. Louis—Dull, 14½; gross receipts, 230; shipments, 230; stock, 6,928.

Cincinnati—Shipments, 2; stock, 48,520.

Little Rock—Quiet, 14⅜; shipments, 40; stock, 4,361.

Louisville—Firm, 14¾.

Total today—Net receipts, 341; gross receipts, 571; shipments, 1,046; sales, 91; stock, 73,755.

THE GRAIN MARKET.

Chicago, July 18.—With supplies of new wheat piling up here and with the world's available supply showing a substantial increase, the market for the cereal supply succumbed today under the crush. Closing figures were the same as last night to ¼@⅜c. down. In corn there was a net decline of 1@1⅛ to ½, and on oats a loss of ½ to 1c. Provisions wound up at 2½@10 to 12½ greater cost.

Wheat—No. 2, red, 84¾@85¾; No. 3, red, 83¾@84½; No. 2, hard, 85½@86½; No. 3, hard, 85@85¼; No. 1, northern, 1.02@1.06½; No. 2, northern, 95@1.02; No. 3, northern, 95@1.02; No. 3, northern, 93@1.00; No. 2, spring, 90@95; No. 3, spring, 89@94½; velvet chaff, 86@90; durum, 85@90.

Corn—No. 2, 64@64¼; No. 2, white, 64½@65; No. 2, yellow, 64½@64¾; No. 3, 63½@64; No. 3, white, 64@65½; No. 3, yellow, 63½@64; No. 4, 63@63¾; No. 4, white, 63½@63¾; No. 4, yellow, 63½@63½.

Oats—No. 2, 42@42¼; No. 2, white, 43@44; No. 3, 41½@42; No. 3, white, 42@43; No. 4, 41½@42½; standard, 42½@43¼.

Wheat:	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
July	86⅝	87	86	86⅝
Sept	88⅝	88⅞	87⅝	87⅝
Dec	91¼	91⅝	90⅝	90⅜
May	95¼	95⅜	94⅝	94⅝
Corn:				
July	63¾	63⅞	62½	62⅝
Sept	64⅜	64⅝	63½	63⅜
Dec	61⅜	61⅝	60¼	60⅝
May	63¼	63½	62⅛	62⅝
Oats:				
Sept	43¼	43¼	41⅜	42⅛
Dec	44⅞	45	43¼	44⅜
May	46⅞	46⅞	45½	46½
Mess Pork, per barrel:				
Sept	15.90	16.00	15.85	15.97½
Jan	15.40	15.40	15.30	15.40
Lard, per 100 pounds:				
July	8.15	8.17½	8.12½	8.17½
Sept	8.27½	8.27½	8.20	8.27½
Dec	8.25	8.25	8.20	8.25
Jan	8.25	8.25	8.20	8.25
Short Ribs, per 100 pounds:				
Sept	8.47½	8.50	8.40	8.50
Jan	7.92½	8.00	7.92½	8.00

THE FINANCIAL MARKET.

New York, July 18.—Money on call, steady, at 2@2½ per cent; ruling rate, 2%; closing bid, 2; offered at 2¼. Time loans, steady; sixty days, 2½ per cent., and ninety days, 2¾@3 per cent.; six months, 3⅝@3¾ per cent. Prime mercantile paper, 4@4½ per cent. Sterling exchange, steady, with actual business in bankers' bills at 4.84.60 for sixty-day bills, and at 4.86.25 for demand. Commercial bills, 4.84; bar silver, 52⅝; Mexican dollars, 45.

MARINE.

Cleared.

Str. Carib, Hale, Georgetown, S. C., H. G. Smallbones.

MARINE DIRECTORY.

List of Vessels Now in Port at Wilmington, N. C.

Schooners.

Augustus Welt, 1,111 tons, Sproul, C. D. Mafflitt.

Calhoun E. Ross, 375 tons, Coulbourn, C. D. Mafflitt.

Major Pickands, 873 tons, Pinkham, C. D. Mafflitt.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Cotton and Naval Stores at Port of Wilmington Yesterday.

Wilmington, N. C., July 19.

Atlantic Coast Line—1 bale cotton; 27 casks spirits turpentine; 29 barrels rosin; 18 barrels tar; 21 barrels crude turpentine.

Sharpie Addie May—18 casks spirits turpentine; 113 barrels rosin.

Str. Alice—4 casks spirits turpentine; 30 barrels rosin.

Schr. Bessie Moore—2 casks spirits turpentine; 63 barrels rosin.

Schr. Missouri—13 casks spirits turpentine; 65 barrels rosin.

Schr. Black River—15 casks spirits turpentine; 2 barrels rosin.

Total—1 bale cotton; 79 casks spirits turpentine; 382 barrels rosin; 18 barrels tar; 21 barrels crude turpentine.

Total last year—29 casks spirits turpentine; 62 barrels rosin; 14 barrels tar; 77 barrels crude turpentine.

THE PRODUCE MARKET.

New York, July 18.—Flour, lower to sell.

Rye Flour—Barely steady.

Corn Meal—Steady.

Rice—Nominal.

Barley—Nominal.

Wheat—Spot, steady; No. 2, new, 90, elevator, and 91½, f.o.b. afloat. Futures closed ⅛ to ¾c. net decline; July, 91⅝; September, 92¼; December, 95⅛.

Corn—Easy; export, No. 2, 68, f.o.b. afloat. Futures closed ⅝@¾c. net lower; September, 68¾; December, 68¾.

Oats—Spot, weak. Standard white, 48. Futures closed nominal.

Lard—Steady.

Tallow—Steady.

Petroleum—Steady.

Rosin—Steady.

Wool—Quiet.

Turpentine—Quiet.

Molasses—Quiet.

Rice—Steady.

Sugar—Raw and refined, steady.

Coffee—Futures closed firm, net three points higher to 16 points lower, with near months relatively firm; spot, quiet; Rio, No. 7, 13⅝; Santos, No. 4, 15¾; mild, quiet; Cordova, 14@16, nominal.

Butter—Steady.

Cheese—Steady and unchanged.

Eggs—High grades, firm; low grades, weak; prices, unchanged.

Potatoes—Steady. New white seconds, 1.00@1.50; culls, 50@75c.

Cabbage—Firm and unchanged.

Freights—Unchanged.

Peanuts—Unchanged.

Cotton Seed Oil—Further weakness showed early in the session, under continued liquidation, and with the decline in cotton, but rallied in the afternoon on covering of short accounts, and temporary withdrawal of bear pressure. Futures closed 5 points higher on July, and 1@4 lower on other months. July, 5.50@5.75; August, 5.63@5.65; September, 5.61@5.64; October, 5.41@5.45; November, 5.40@5.41; prime crude, nominal; do. summer yellow, 5.50@5.70; do. winter yellow, 5.65 bid; do. summer white, 5.75@6.19.

WILMINGTON MARKETS.

STAR OFFICE, July 18.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Market, steady, 48¼ cents.

ROSIN—Steady, $4.95 per barrel.

TAR—Firm, at $2.20 per barrel.

CRUDE TURPENTINE—$3.60 per barrel for hard; $4.50 for dip, and $4.60 for virgin.

Quotations same day last year—Spirits turpentine, firm, 55; rosin, firm, $3.90; tar, $2.25; crude turpentine, firm, at $3.00, $4.25 and $5.25.

Receipts.

Spirits Turpentine	79
Rosin	302
Tar	18
Crude Turpentine	21

Receipts same day last year, 29 casks turpentine; 62 barrels rosin; 14 barrels tar; 77 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON MARKET.

Market—Nominal.

Same day last year, nominal.

Receipts—1 bale; same day last year, (—) bales.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

(Quoted by W. J. Meredith, July 15th.)

PEANUTS—Virginias, .90 to $1.00 per bu.; North Carolinas, $1.50@$1.60; Spanish, $1.15@$1.25.

CORN—Firm; .68 to .70 per bu.

PEAS—White black-eye, $2.50; white lady finger, $2.75; clay peas, $1.75 per bushel, dull.

POTATOES—Irish potatoes, new crop, $1.00 per bu.

BEEF—On foot, .03@.04 per lb.

PORK—Out of season.

WOOL—Burry, .12@.15 per lb.; free of burr, 12 to 18 per lb.

HIDES—Green, .08 per lb.; dry, .12 per lb.

NORTH CAROLINA BACON—Hams, old, 17c. per lb.; sides and shoulders, 12 to 13½ per lb.

BEESWAX—Firm; .27 per lb.

TALLOW—Firm; .04½@.05 per lb.

POULTRY—Turkeys, out of season. Chickens, grown, .40@.50 per head; chickens, spring, .20@.35 per head; Geese, .50 per head.

EGGS—Good demand, 18 to 19 per doz.

SHEEP—Lambs, $2.50 to $3.00 per head; grown sheep, .90 to $2.25.

Petersburg Peanut Market.

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Spanish—Farmer stock, firm, $1.27½ bid; $1.30 asked; holdings, small; No. 1, Spanish shelled, 7¼c.; No. 2, Spanish shelled, 5½ to 5¾c.

Virginians—Bunch, 4¼ to 4½c.; Fancy Hand Picked, 3¾ to 4c.; Extra Prime, 3½ to 3¾c.; Prime, 3⅜ to 3½c.; Machine Picked, 3¼ to 3⅜c.; market, firm.

LIVERPOOL COTTON MARKET.

Spot, Moderate Business; Prices, 22 Points Lower.

Liverpool, July 18.—Spot, moderate business done; prices, 22 points lower. American middling fair, 8.15; good middling, 7.81; middling, 7.59; low middling, 7.39; good ordinary, 7.13; ordinary, 6.88.

The sales of the day were 6,000 bales, of which 1,000 were for speculation and export and included 5,700 American. Receipts, 3,000, including 800 American.

Futures opened easy and closed feverish. July, 7.22½; July and August, 7.19; August and September, 6.96½; September and October, 6.63½; October and November, 6.54; November and December, 6.49; December and January, 6.48; January and February, 6.48½; February and March, 6.49½; March and April, 6.50½.

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AWAKENING IN STOCK MARKET

Prices Advanced Buoyantly During Last Hour of Trading Yesterday. Favorable Character of Government Report.

New York, July 18.—A sudden awakening from the extreme dullness of the stock market during the past week occurred in the last hour of trading today. Prices advanced buoyantly under the lead of Union Pacific and the local traction stocks, following the announcement that settlement of the subway controversy appeared to be in sight, with the expectation that the Interborough-Metropolitan would obtain a share of the awards.

The favorable character of the government weekly weather report had previously strengthened the market, retracing the advance made easy when heavy buying of the last hour began.

In contrast to the recent inactivity, the market was excited. Union Pacific was the center of the bull demonstration, advancing nearly three points. Interborough Metropolitan, pfd., improved nearly four points, the common, 1¾, and Manhattan Elevated, 5. Gains of 1 to 3 points were quite general through the remainder of the list, railroad and industrial shares alike participating in the forward movement.

During the earlier part of the day the market was firm at a level somewhat above yesterday's close. The weather view showed the extent to which favorable conditions for crops prevailed over the country. The excited dealings which accompanied the slump in the cotton market and lower quotations for grain were followed by a moderate advance in stocks. The fertilizer shares which are expected to receive especial benefit from a large cotton crop, developed marked strength. Canadian Pacific continued its record-breaking rise, advancing three points to 245¾.

Reading was not at all affected by announcement that the Federal government had filed an amended bill, which aims to separate the company's transportation department from its coal business. The stock was firm, through the day, and shared in the advance.

United States Steel and Amalgamated Copper advanced more vigorously than either of these stocks has done in several days. The general bond market was steady. Total sales, par value, $3,916,000. United States bonds were unchanged on call. Total sales, 249,600 shares.

CLOSING STOCK LIST.

Allis-Chalmers, pfd	28½
Amalgamated Copper	69⅝
American Agricultural	39¾
American Beet Sugar	34⅛
American Can	10½
American Car and Foundry	57⅝
American Cotton Oil	57½
American Hide and Leather, pfd	25
American Ice Securities	23
American Linseed	10½
American Locomotive	41
American Smelting and Refining, pfd	80
American Smelting and Reuning, pfd	106⅝
American Steel Foundries	39½
American Sugar Refining	117⅞
American Tel and Tel	137⅜
American Tobacco, pfd	95¾
American Woolen	32
Anaconda Mining Co	39¼
Atchison	113⅜
Atchison, pfd	102⅜
Atlantic Coast Line	131½
Baltimore and Ohio	109⅜
Bethlehem Steel	32⅝
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	82⅝
Canadian Pacific	245⅜
Central Leather	30¼
Central Leather, pfd	99⅞
Central of New Jersey	280
Chesapeake and Ohio	82½
Chicago and Alton	20
Chicago Great Western	22¼
Chicago Great Western, pfd	44½
Chicago and North Western	118
Chicago, Mil. and St. Paul	127⅝
C., C., C. and St. Louis	58
Colorado Fuel and Iron	35¾
Colorado and Southern	54
Consolidated Gas	145⅜
Corn Products	14⅞
Delaware and Hudson	170
Denver and Rio Grande	28½
Denver and Rio Grande, pfd	58½
Distillers' Securities	39⅝
Erie	37¼
Erie, 1st pfd	58¾
Erie, 2nd pfd	47¼
General Electric	161
Great Northern, pfd	135⅝
Great Northern Ore Ctfs	60½
Illinois Central	143
Interborough-Met	19⅜
Interborough-Met., pfd	54⅜
Inter-Harvester	122
Inter-Marine, pfd	17
International Paper	11½
International Pump	42⅜
Iowa Central	14½
Kansas City Southern	34⅞
Kansas City Southern, pfd	67½
Laclede Gas	107⅜
Louisville and Nashville	155
Minneapolis and St. Louis	31½
Minn., S. P. and Sault Ste Marie	142¾
Missouri, Kansas and Texas	36⅜
Missouri, Kansas and Texas, pfd	67½
Missouri Pacific	49¾
National Biscuit	136
National Lead	56½
Nat. Rys. of Mexico, 2nd pfd	30¼
New York Central	109
New York, Ontario and Western	45⅜
Norfolk and Western	109
North American	73
Northern Pacific	132⅜
Pacific Mail	27⅞
Pennsylvania	125⅛
People's Gas	106⅜
Pittsburg, C. C. and St. Louis	94
Pittsburg Coal	20⅛
Pressed Steel Car	36½
Pullman Palace Car	160½
Railway Steel Spring	36½
Reading	157⅞
Republic Steel	29½
Republic Steel, pfd	93⅛
Rock Island Co.	22½
Rock Island Co., pfd	64⅛
St. Louis and San Fran., 2nd pfd	49½
St. Louis Southwestern	31½
St. Louis Southwestern, pfd	70
Sloss-Sheffield Steel and Iron	48
Southern Pacific	123½
Southern Railway	33⅛
Southern Railway, pfd	73⅞
Tennessee Copper	41½
Texas and Pacific	28⅝
Toledo, St. Louis and Western	21
Toledo, St. L. and Western, pfd	46
Union Pacific	189⅝
Union Pacific, pfd	94⅝
United States Realty	75½
United States Rubber	42
United States Steel	79⅜
United States Steel, pfd	118¾
Utah Copper	50¼
Virginia-Carolina Chemical	58⅞
Wabash	15⅞
Wabash, pfd	35⅜
Western Maryland	64
Westinghouse Electric	75½
Western Union	81¼
Wheeling and Lake Erie	32½

DRY GOODS MARKET.

New York, July 18.—New York jobbers will sell fruit of the loom at agents' prices until further notice. Other lines of bleached cotton have not been revised, as yet. At the meeting of the jobbers' association, an opinion from a lawyer was read, stating that restricted prices on prints were not contrary to law, but the removal of restrictions will stand as agents have been advised otherwise.

A Peek Into His Pocket

would show the box of Bucklen's Arnica Salve that E. S. Loper, a carpenter, of Marilla, N. Y., always carries. "I have never had a cut, wound, bruise or sore it would not soon heal," he writes. Greatest healer of burns, boils, scalds, chapped hands and lips, fever-sores, skin eruptions, eczema, corns and piles. 25c. at R. R. Bellamy's.

THE WEATHER.

United States Department of Agriculture, Weather Bureau.

Wilmington, July 19.

Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending at 8 A. M., Tuesday, July 19th:

Temperature at 8 A. M., 74 degrees; at 8 P. M., 76 degrees; maximum, 86 degrees; minimum, 71 degrees; mean, 78 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .99 inch; for the month, 3.63 inches.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river, at Fayetteville, at 8 A. M., Tuesday, 3.5 feet, falling.

Weather Forecast.

For North Carolina—Probably local thunder showers Wednesday and Thursday; light, variable winds.

Port Calendar—July 19.

Sun rises	5:14 A. M.
Sun sets	7:22 P. M.
Day's length	14 hrs. 8 min.
High water at Southport	1:40 P. M.
High water at Wilmington	3:40 P. M.

WEATHER BUREAU REPORTS.

July 18, 1911.

STATIONS:	Weather at 8 P. M.	Temperature: Highest Today.	Temperature: Lowest Last Night.	24-Hour Precipitation 8 P. M.
Abilene	pt cldy	90	68	.02
Asheville	pt cldy	74	58	.0
Atlanta	cloudy	82	64	.0
Augusta	cloudy	86	70	2.38
Birmingham	cloudy	82	62	.0
Boston	pt cldy	80	66	.0
Charleston	cloudy	88	74	.42
Charlotte	clear	86	66	.0
Chicago	cloudy	84	60	.0
Galveston	cloudy	82	82	.14
Jacksonville	raining	86	76	.06
Memphis	clear	88	68	.0
Mobile	cloudy	84	72	.24
Montgomery	raining	86	68	.01
New Orleans	cloudy	86	72	.24
New York	cloudy	78	64	.0
Palestine	clear	86	68	.66
Oklahoma	clear	84	62	.0
Pittsburg	pt cldy	78	56	.0
Raleigh	raining	86	70	.0
Savannah	cloudy	86	70	.0
Savannah	cloudy	86	72	.32
Shreveport	cloudy	78	66	1.14
St. Louis	pt cldy	82	62	.0
Washington	cloudy	78	64	.0

NAVAL STORES.

New York, July 18.—Rosin, steady. Turpentine, quiet.

Savannah, July 18.—Turpentine, firm, at 49½@49½; sales, 441; receipts, 1,521; shipments, 150; stocks, 22,094.

Rosin—Firm. Sales, 3,200; receipts, 5,681; shipments, 225; stock, 104,154. Quote: B, 5.30; D, 5.90; E, 6.25; F, G, H, I, K and M, 6.62½; N, 6.90; W G, 7.05; W W, 7.10.

Charleston, July 18.—Turpentine, firm, at 49½.

Rosin—Firm. Quote: B, 5.40@5.42½; D, 5.85@6.00; E, 6.15@6.30; F, G and H, 6.35@6.60; I, 6.40; K and M, 6.60@6.65; N, 6.90@7.05; W G, 7.05@7.20; W W, 7.50.

NORTH CAROLINA, NEW HANOVER COUNTY—In the Superior Court, before the Clerk:

Edward D. Williston, F. D. Williston, and others ....

v.

William J. Perry, Hattie Perry and Joseph H. Perry ....Defendants

Service by Publication.

The defendants—William J. Perry, Hattie Perry and Joseph H. Perry—you and each of you will take notice:

That an action entitled as above has been commenced in the Superior Court of New Hanover County, N. C., and the purpose of the same is to obtain a decree for the sale of certain lands, particularly described in the complaint, which is now on file in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of New Hanover County, N. C., for division among the heirs at law of the late Frank P. Williston and Henrietta Williston, in which you have an interest.

And the said William J. Perry, Hattie Perry and Joseph H. Perry will further take notice that they and every of them are required to appear before the Clerk of the Superior Court of New Hanover County at his office in the City of Wilmington, N. C., on the 31st day of July, 1911, and answer or demur to the complaint now on file in the said Clerk's office, or the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief therein demanded.

JNO. D. TAYLOR,
Clerk Superior Court, New Hanover County, N. C.

THOMAS H. SUTTON,
Plaintiff's Attorney, P. O. Address: Fayetteville, N. C. je28-law4w

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CHAS. T. NESBITT,
jl 14-tf. Supt. Health.

MORTGAGE SALE.

By virtue of the power of sale contained in two certain deeds of mortgage, made by John Woods and wife, Mattie Woods, to the North Carolina Home Building Association, recorded respectively in Book 56, page 369, and Book 58, page 277, of the records of New Hanover County, the undersigned will sell, to the highest bidder, at public auction, for cash, on Tuesday, the 15th day of August, 1911, at twelve o'clock M., at the Court House door in the City of Wilmington, N. C., the following described property, to-wit: Beginning at a point on the north side of Rankin street, 165 feet East of Wood Street; runs thence Eastwardly with the Northern line of Rankin street 33 feet; thence Northwardly, parallel with Wood street 66 feet; thence Westwardly parallel with Rankin Street 33 feet; thence Southwardly parallel with Wood Street 66 feet to the beginning.

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FOSS AFTER A PROBE.

Wants Investigation of Manufacture of Shoe Machinery in His State.

Boston, Mass., July 18.—A message requesting the Legislature to investigate the manufacture of shoe machinery in this State was sent to the Senate today by Governor Foss. The governor pointed out that the manufacture of shoes is a leading industry of the State, and that apparently nearly all of the machinery belongs to one corporation, organized in another State, but operated principally in Massachusetts. By its ownership of these machines, this corporation, says the governor, has been enabled to maintain an almost absolute monopoly of the shoe manufacturing industry.

"The situation," continued the governor, "calls upon us to determine whether any relief can be afforded under the present law, and if not, what legislation may be enacted to meet the situation."

In reply to the message, the committee on rules of the Senate affixed this endorsement: "No legislation necessary, because of the passage of the Hisgen anti-monopoly bill on May 27."

In the communication of the governor and the letter written by the Attorney General on the subject, no reference is made to the Hisgen law.

Later, Governor Foss denied that his action was influenced by information about a [illegible] government probe.

NEED RYAN TO TESTIFY.

Writer of "Dick-to-Dick" Letter to Appear in Washington.

Washington, D. C., July 18.—Richard S. Ryan, the promoter of the Controller Bay Railroad & Navigation Company, who is alleged to have written the "Dick-to-Dick" letter which cannot be found, but which is declared by Miss M. F. Abbott, a writer, to have been in the Interior Department files, has been summoned to appear before the House committee which is investigating the Alaskan land controversy.

Mr. Ryan is now in New York, where he was served with a subpoena to appear in Washington next Thursday, though he will not testify until later.

Captain James P. Adams, assistant government forester, testified today regarding President Taft's order of October 28, 1910, restoring to public domain the lands of Controller Bay. He said he knew the 30- or 60-day notice before any claims could be filed, missing in [illegible] order, was in the original draft. The elimination of the notice is claimed to have given advantage to Ryan claimants on account of their presence on the scene. Captain Adams said he did not know why this notice was eliminated. But that it was [illegible] out was customary, in order to prevent persons who might have advance information from gaining undue advantage.

UNIVERSITY STUDENT DEAD.

Passed Away in Durham Hospital After Long Illness.

Durham, N. C., July 17.—Melvin Buckley, a member of 1913 class at the State University, died at the Watts Hospital here this afternoon, after a long illness with typhoid fever.

He was about 22 years of age and the son of a widowed mother. He had worked his way through college and recently received an appointment to an assistant's place in chemistry. He also belonged to the engineering corps of that place.

While Rev. R. W. Hogue was rector of the Episcopal church there he was a member of the self-help colony and was one of the many who have made such creditable University men.

Young Buckley was brought here several weeks ago and from the start it was seen that his chances were very poor for recovery. His grandmother came here from Weirsville, Florida, where he lived, and remained with him until the last. University men greatly deplored his death, because he was a strong student and gave rich promise. The remains were shipped to his Florida home tonight on the 8 o'clock train.

FEVER IN CAMP.

Raging in Naval Training School Near Norfolk—Inoculation Prescribed.

Norfolk, Va., July 18.—In consequence the prevalence of typhoid fever in the training camp at the St. Helena Naval Training Station, orders have been issued directing the inoculation of every man in camp who has not been attacked by the disease. The work of inoculation was begun today and will be continued until the order is fully in force. The rage of fever so far has been confined to the training camp, but fear of it spreading to other parts of the station, the naval authorities determined to apply the most vigorous check.

Between 30 and 40 men have developed typhoid recently and are being treated in the naval hospital. There has been but one death, but several patients are now seriously ill. Efforts of the medical staff to discover the source of the outbreak have not as yet been successful.

FUSIONISTS FILE ANSWER.

Counter Charges to the Contest by Opposing Faction at Norfolk

Norfolk, Va., July 18.—The Democratic organizations of Norfolk county, otherwise known as "fusionists," today filed their answer and counter charges to the contest by the straightouts of the county primary election of June 28th. In addition to the formal answer and counter charges, the organizationists filed a personal record of contestants similar to the personal records of contestees filed by the straightouts in their pleading. The papers were filed with the county committees, sub-committee named to investigate the contest of the straightouts. This committee will on Thursday begin an investigation of the charges and counter charges now filed by the two sides.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

American National Bank—If Not, Why Not.

Business Locals.

For Sale—Farm.
For Sale—Horse.
For Sale—Horse.
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Herring Cottage—Boarders.
F. S. Porter—Florida Lands.
J. N. Henry—Land for Sale.
For Rent—Furnished Rooms.
Wanted—Second Hand Motor Cycle.
E. Warren & Son—Peach Ice Cream.
Palace Market Co.—Walton Creek Watermelons.

HAITI TROUBLE SERIOUS.

Causing Grave Anxiety to American Minister Furniss.

Washington, July 18.—The situation in Haiti is causing grave anxiety to American Minister Furniss, who reported to the State Department today that the revolution, in spite of temporary government victories, appears to be growing. Heretofore revolutionists had confined their operations to the interior and small towns on the northern coast. Mr. Furniss reports, but they have now seized several more important points, among them the second city in the Republic, Gonaives, where large quantities of supplies are stored belonging to an American railway construction company. A late telegram from the minister today suggested the advisability of sending another American warship to Haitien waters, and the gunboat Des Moines, now at Boston, is under orders to proceed there at once. If the situation continues to increase in gravity, another vessel will be dispatched and the gunboat Petrel, now on the north coast of Haiti, but under orders to return to the United States, may be detained.

Port Au Prince, Haiti, July 18.—The revolution progresses. The government troops were routed at Trou and have returned in disorder to Cape Haitien. The situation is calm here, but if the government falls it is feared will be disorders on the part of the populace as all the disciplined troops are in the north.

The foreign residents are apprehensive but the expected arrival of American warships will have a reassuring effect.

The situation for the government is considered critical. All the districts north of Artibonito are in arms and the insurgents are close up on Cape Haitient, which they are expected to attack at any time.

The government has chartered the German steamers Syria and Allemannia for the purpose of bringing the President and his troops back to Port Au Prince. This city is practically without defenders but the President intends to organize as effective resistence as possible against the revolutionists.

Kingston, Jamaica, July 18.—Mail advices from Hayti state that several prominent Germans have been expelled from the country on the ground of alleged support given by them to the revolution. President Simon is said to be attempting to pacify the rebels by proclaiming that the United States will intervene unless the railway construction across the island is permitted to proceed.

The southern section of Hayti has been drained of troops for the campaign in the north.

The Haytian navy's new warship, Antoine Simon, formerly the Consul Grostuck, is crippled, leaking and unfit for service. She is being towed here for repairs.

MIMIC WAR IN PROGRESS.

Rhode Islanders Catch Fleeting Glimpses of Vessels.

Block Island, R. I., July 18.—Fleeting glimpses of torpedo boat destroyers and submarines as they skudded about on the watch for "invaders" were the only indications of mimic war visible to residents of Watch Hill, Block Island, Newport and other places within the war zone today.

The destroyers remained in the vicinity of Block Island the greater part of the day, but disappeared in the distance late in the afternoon while the submarines were seen several times off Point Junith, Brent's Reef and elsewhere in the Narragansett Bay district. All kept well off shore so that their identity could not be ascertained.

Following the rule laid down by the War Department that the use of wireless be eliminated, the ships of both the attacking and defending fleets refused to answer calls today.

All along the shore of Massachusetts and Rhode Island shore residents are keeping awake tonight watching for the flashing of the search light and other indications that the "enemy" is near and that the expected "battle" is on.

Although it had been generally understood here that the "war" was not to begin until mid-night it was learned officially tonight that the hour of starting the maneuvers was within the discretion of the commanders of the fleets. Navy Department officials stipulated that the war should start some time between dawn today and noon Friday.

DEATH BROUGHT OUT TRUTH.

Pastor of Ohio Church Was Living Under Assumed Name.

Xenia, Ohio, July 18.—Following his death here after an operation for appendicitis, it was discovered today that Rev. Myron M. Bruce, pastor of the Pleasant View church, near Jamestown, has been living under an assumed name, and that his real name is Ainsworth. His father, Rev. Myron Bruce Ainsworth, pastor of the Christian church, at Franklin, Ind., came here today to take the body to Allisonville, Ont., for burial.

Three weeks ago the Pleasant View church advertised in a religious paper for a minister. In a few days a letter is alleged to have come from the Franklin, Indiana, pastor, recommending "his cousin," the Rev. Myron M. Bruce. Arrangements were speedily made for the reception of the new pastor.

"Rev. Bruce" arrived in a short time and for three weeks preached the gospel fervidly. Then he was taken sick and died after an operation.

Rev. Ainsmith was summoned and when he faced the body gave way to grief and cried out: "He is my son, not my cousin"

The alleged deception is said to have been due to the young man's desire to live down past incidents in his life.

TYPHOID FEVER SITUATION

Government Expert at Little Rock to Determine Cause.

Little Rock, Ark., July 18.—Dr. W. H. Fost, past assistant surgeon general of the United States, today started an investigation of sanitary conditions in this city in an effort to ascertain the cause of typhoid fever. The city board of health and a number of local physicians conferred today relative to their examination which will be made independently of any other. Dr. Frost states nothing will be given out until the examination is completed. The water supply, milk and general sanitary conditions of the city will be probed thoroughly.

WHITEVILLE DOINGS.

Congressional Race—Columbus Court. Hookworm Treatment.—Notes.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Whiteville, N. C., July 18.—A reliable gentleman of Whiteville says he has seen a letter written by Congressman Godwin to a friend in this county, in which he most emphatically denies that he would retire and support Mr. Bellamy for election.

Yesterday an important case was decided in our court, involving one of the new laws enacted by the last Legislature. It will be remembered that a bill was passed fixing a State and county tax on itinerant merchants. During the last strawberry season four Hebrew merchants, as has been the practice for many years, opened stores at Chadbourn and Tabor, which were only operated for a few weeks. Sheriff Richardson, under instructions from the Attorney General, demanded the $200 tax from each, and which these men refused to pay. They continued to do business and gave bond as required by law. They then employed Messrs. Grady & Williamson to test the legality of the new law. The case came up for trial yesterday, and after hearing the evidence Judge Whedbee instructed the jury to find for the defendants, which was done. It is argued that a person need only do business in a place two days to become a citizen. This is a very important decision and will cost our county and the State over $800, as there are other cases besides these four. It was quite a legal victory for Messrs. Grady & Williamson.

Judge Whedbee is dispatching business with a rush. In fact, as a lawyer remarked, even the grand jury can't keep up with him. The judge is winning golden opinions from the bar and public, and has made a splendid impression on the people. A half dozen criminal cases were disposed of the first day of court.

Missie Marlow, the young white woman charged with complicity in the Grists killing, was brought into court yesterday, but it was decided to set the time of trial today. The woman had completely transformed herself. When first arrested she was very uncouthly clad, but yesterday she appeared dressed in snow white raiment and looked like altogether another person.

A number of prominent citizens were yesterday in attendance on court among the number Senator O. L. Clark, of Clarkton; Hon. J. A. Brown, of Chadbourn; Mr. Reaves, a leading merchant of Loris, S. C., and Tabor, N. C., and Mr. C. C. Pridgen, president of the Bank of Tabor. In conversation with the Star's correspondent, Mr. Clark says he never knew such a magnificent corn crop as is now practically made and cotton is also looking fine, although the crop is young and very backward. Parties from all over this and other counties report record breaking corn crops.

Miss Sara Baggett, of Tabor, one of the most brilliant young ladies in this section, is visiting friends in Whiteville.

Solicitor Sinclair is the recipient of unstinted attention and courtesies from his hosts of friends. There is not a more universally popular gentleman in our State than Hon. N. A. Sinclair. A number of his admirers were yesterday urging him to make the race for Congress in this district, but he was non-committal.

Dr. Stiles last evening lectured in the court house to an audience made up of many of the leading citizens on the hookworm. He has received many attentions during his stay in Whiteville and made a host of friends. Parties came from all sections of the county to meet the doctor.

The hookworm hospital will open today in Whiteville. Last week there were examined in Chadbourn 971 patients by Dr. Pridgen and of these 86 per cent. were found to have hookworm. Hon. J. A. Brown says it is impossible to estimate the benefit that this treatment will be to Columbus county, and it will not only save many lives and untold suffering, but add greatly to the labor efficiency of the county. The day the hospital moved from Chadbourn over 400 persons came in for treatment. It will take much longer than the allotted time to even partially do the needed work in Columbus county. The most wonderful stories are told of cures effected and the benefits to persons taking the treatment. In some large families every member was found to be afflicted with hookworm.

GREENE AND GAYNOR CASE

One Employe Received $100,000 In Special Accountant's Fees.

Washington, July 18.—Whether one special employe of the Department of Justice has received $100,000 as a "special accountant" in the famous Greene-Gaynor case, arising out of the Savannah harbor improvement, will be inquired into tomorrow by the House Committee on Expenditures in the Department of Justice.

E. O. Johnson, who is said to have been employed by the Department as accountant in the case for the last 11 years, is expected to tell the committee how much he has received for his services. Inquiry also will be made as to how much the United States District Attorney in charge of the case, his assistant and clerk have been paid in the case. Information on the subject is said to have been requested of the Department some days ago, though no definite response has been obtained.

Greene and Gaynor were contractors charged with having entered into a conspiracy with Captain Oberlin M. Carter, the army engineer in charge of the harbor improvement, to defraud the government out of hundreds of thousands of dollars. Long trials were held in the case, the men were sent to the penitentiary and much property turned back to the government.

Paris, July 18.—John W. Gates showed a further improvement tonight. The kidneys and heart, the attending physicians state, are acting satisfactorily.

Parson's Poem A Gem.

From Rev. H. Stubenvoll, Allison, Ia., in praise of Dr. King's New Life Pills.

"They're such a health necessity, in every home these pills should be. If other kinds you've tried in vain, USE DR. KING'S And be well again." Only 25c. at R. R. Belamy's.

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ROCKY POINT MUSINGS.

"Laying-By Time" Has Arrived—The Crop Outlook—Other Notes.

Rocky Point, N. C., July 18.—"Laying-by crop" time has come—the happiest of the year. The gardens are full of nice snap beans, cabbage, beets, red tomatoes, okra, squash, canteloupes and other good things that mother earth has yielded to man's tickling her bosom. Gentle rains have fallen—the corn crops are nodding to the breezes Red ripe watermelons and Rocky Ford cantaloupes are on the shelf with carving knife hard by and an invitation to come, cut and help yourself. Crops of all kinds here have grown amazingly during the past ten days and from present outlook the yields will be the best in several years. Where the soil was constantly stirred during the hot period every crop "looks lovely." Our farmers are busy transplanting sweet potatoes. The tubers from these keep much better from these vines than from the sprout.

Miss Annie Sanderson, of Newbern, is visiting her parents——Miss Gieschen and brother, of Wilmington, visited the point Sunday——Mr. Neill McEachern comes up often to superintend the erection of a phosphate mill on his farm, Mosley Hall. The analysis by the State chemist pronounces the rock rich in phosphate, lime, etc.

Large specimens of land plaster is being applied to the peanut crop; also oyster shell lime. The saving of freight would be immense and the money kept at home by inaugurating these enterprises. Mr. B. F. Keith does an extensive business in the manufacture of ground phosphate, which is pronounced very superior for peanuts and broadcasting for field peas.

There were several "scraps" among the negro race during the fourth and it hilarious exercises. No bones broken and but little blood drawn, but a few cases for "tribulation hall," presided over by Justices Brown and Pearsall.

Mr. J. K. Ormsby, our orthodox farmer, who raises his hog and hay and hominy, etc., and is a constant reader of The Star, was visited by the stork recently, who left a pair of twins—not calves nor kids, but real live babies that were doing well at last accounts.——Mr. and Mrs. Miller and children, of Claxton, Ga., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Armstrong.

FOUND FIVE WITH CHOLERA.

Test Tubes at Quarantine Saved Possible Invasion of Disease.

New York, July 18.—The test tubes of the physicians at quarantine have saved New York a possible invasion of Asiatic cholera by five carriers of the dread disease, in themselves well, but bearers of millions of bacteria. Their presence was made manifest today as the result of the individual bacteriological examinations instituted in the case of every person detained at Hoffman Island—an extraordinary precaution—their discovery, together with the failure of additional cases of cholera to develop at quarantine, caused Health Officer Doty to regard the outlook tonight as brighter than at any time within the past week.

The five cases revealed by the bacteriological examinations were at once isolated from other immigrants and lodged in the Swinburne Island hospital.

BUSINESS LOCALS

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LEARN HOW TO BUY Florida farm homes at fraction usual cost. See me at Atlantic Cafe, or drop postal and will call. F. S. Porter. jy19-3t*

LOST, STRAYED OR STOLEN—about two weeks ago Bull Terrier pup; white with brownish black spots. Answers to name of "Dawson." Reward, if returned to Frank Banks, Bijou Theatre. jy19-1t*

THE HERRING COTTAGE — Wrightsville Beach, Station 6. Everything new and up-to-date. Terms, reasonable. 'Phone 1206. jy19-6t

FOR SALE—Less than $15.00 per acre; 41-acre farm, 3 miles from city, on Federal Point road. W. C. Armstrong. jy19-1t*

DELICIOUS PEACH ICE CREAM today; 50 baskets fancy peaches must be sold today; 50c. basket. E. Warren & Son. 'phone 376. jy19-1t*

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WANTED—Second-hand motor cycle or runabout. State name, model, price and other particulars in full in first letter. Address Box L, Raeford, N. C. jy19-1t*

FOR SALE AT A BARGAIN—Combination saddle and buggy horse. See Holmes, at W. B. Thorpe & Co. jy19-5t*

TO RENT—Two or three furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Address Box 335, City. jy19-1t*

WANTED—Country single boy or man with some experience to work in grocery store, and must be a hustler. Address "W. W.," care Star office. jy18-6t*

FOR SALE OR RENT—Residence No. 616 Chestnut street. Apply to Morris Bear & Bro. je18-su,w-tf

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A MALE STENOGRAPHER, with five years' experience desires position at once. Can furnish good references. Address Stenographer," care of Star. jy19-1t*

FOR SALE—One Foote continuous concrete mixer, for street or road work; in thorough order, and will sell cheap. Aesop & Pierce, Newport News, Va., or 115 Castle st., Wilmington, N. C. jy18-6t*

FOR RENT—New store, No. 20 Dock street, in Seaman's Friend Society building, formerly occupied by Independent Ice Co. Possession at once. Apply T. F. Wood, 16-18 N. Water street. jy16-eod10t

YOUNG MAN with high school education wants work of some kind. Will do anything where there is a chance of promotion. Accurate at figures and plain hand. Best of references. Address "X. Y. Z.," care Star. jy18-1t

LOST OR STOLEN—One black male stock hog; four white feet; right ear mawed. I will give reward for his recovery or information. W. O. Dunbar, Wallace, N. C. jy18-4t*

WANTED—Position with wholesale grocery house or candy factory. Ten years road experience. Good habits. At present employed, but desire a change. References furnished. Address P. O. Box 25, Lincolnton, N. C. jy18-6t*

WANTED—Position as mill supt. Have had 20 years' experience in lumber mfg. For further particulars, address "Lumberman," care Star. jy16-4t*

LOST OR STRAYED—Black collie puppy, 10 months old; answers to name of "Bridge." Reward, if returned to 407 South Third street. jy16-3t

THE PEOPLE'S Building and Loan Association will open its 17th series of stock Saturday, August 5th. Remember the day, and take stock with this strong and progressive home builder and money-saver. Office, 206 Princess street. jy16-tf

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NOTICE—July 28th, 1911, I will sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash one rubber-tired buggy at my shop, No. 112 S. Second street. J. E. G. Brown. jy13-14t

ARE YOU GOING AWAY? See Uncle Charles for a good suit case or trunk. 16 S. Front st. "Yellow Building." my31-tf

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TO THE PUBLIC—Uncle Charles' pawn shop has moved to 16 S. Front street; look for the yellow building. my31-tf

SPECIAL — Few more bananas left at 10c. per doz. Fine limes, 75c. per hundred, or 10c. per dozen. Pure Food Market, 'phone 1493. D. M. Davis. jy14-tf

PEACHES. Peaches, Peaches. Very best peaches of season. Fresh vegetables every day. Ice cold water melons, all kinds of meats. Palace Market Co.; 'phone No. 72. jy14-tf

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